



ROOSEVELT ARMISTICE PLAN REPORTED

Mrs. Vance Charged With Murder in Husband's Death; Pleads Not Guilty

CRUSHING OF NAZI LINES IN SICILY GOES ON

Americans, Canadians and British Thrusts Send Germans Reeling.

By DANIEL DE LUCE

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, Aug. 3—Canadians captured Regaluto yesterday, pushing the Mount Etna line into German doughboys routed the Germans from Capizzi and captured the decisive Sicilian offensive was announced today.

German divisions backed into Regaluto "Cap Bon" reeled under concerted attacks by American and British troops. The British 1st Airborne Division, which landed on the island of Sicily, is now pushing the German line back into the interior of the island.

These successes were but the highlights of a series of vicious Allied blows which headquarters said had sent the Germans many dead.

Fighting Over Long Front

Fighting between the Germans and the American troops of Lt. Gen. George S. Patton Jr., was reported today on a front of 100 miles. The American line was reported to be within five miles of the strategic inland road junction of Troina, between the sea and Mount Etna 20 miles south of American-held San Stefano.

Prime Minister Churchill told the House of Commons the American Seventh Army was reported to have entered Troina yesterday.

The seizure of Regaluto gave the mixed Canadian and British fighting of the Eighth Army a new impetus. The capture of the town of Regaluto, which is the key to the western Sicilian plain.

Information was given by official sources on the progress of British attacks across the plain.

(The fall of Centuripe, five miles southeast of Regaluto, to the Allies, Page 7)

War Summary

GENEVA—Germans report Roosevelt has made seven-point armistice proposal to Italy.

SOUTHWEST PACIFIC—American troops advance 500 to 1,000 yards in climactic assault on Munda, reach point "close to the eastern end of the field" in assault with flame-throwers, artillery and tanks; many Japanese killed.

RUSSIA—Berlin radio admits Red armies have entered German key base at Orel, say Russians are "attacking with great violence, especially in the southern part of the town." Soviet reports Soviet troops captured 70 more prisoners.

AIR WAR—Huge RAF armada hit Hamburg for eighth time today, breaking all records for sustained attack on single target. Stockholm dispatches describe Germany's second biggest city as "a heap of rubble." RAF bombers lost, other allied planes attack Ruhr valley, Holland and northwest Germany.

RAF Still Blasting Italy

Naples Railway Targets Heavily Hit; American Daylight Bombers Continue Attack.

By The Associated Press
ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, Aug. 3—Nighttime bombardments of the RAF against Naples and its vital railway targets on the Italian mainland, with blockbusters and incendiaries, and allied air power, continued today.

RAF Beaufighters strafed a destroyer and three motor torpedo boats off Cagliari, Sardinia, in exercising their continuing superiority over the Tyrrhenian sea, and almost up to the coast of France.

Concentrating on direct support of the advancing Allied troops, RAF Beaufighters also bombed gun positions and trenches in the Etna line.

Marion School Principal's Widow Taken To Court 2 Months After Tragedy.

Two months and one day after her husband, Terley L. Vance, 38-year-old principal of the Glenwood elementary school, died of burns suffered in an early-morning explosion on June 2 at the Vance home at 515 North State street, his wife, Gladys Davis Vance, 39, was arraigned this morning before Judge W. Dexter Hazen in municipal court on a charge of first degree murder.

Released at about 10:15 this morning from the Marion City hospital where she had been confined since the tragic June incident for treatment of self-inflicted bullet wounds, Mrs. Vance was immediately served by Police Capt. E. C. Mackan a warrant signed by Chief of Police William E. Marks charging her with the first degree murder.

She accepted the affidavit calmly and immediately was taken to the city building where she remained only long enough for arraignment.

When Judge Hazen read to her the warrant charging her with "purposely and of deliberate and premeditated malice killing Terley L. Vance," she winced slightly. J. Malcolm Stritz, of the law firm of Stritz, Dowler & Wiedemann, the defense attorneys, entered a plea of not guilty for her.

Hearing Set
He asked that the defendant be given a preliminary hearing in municipal court and at the agreement of Prosecutor James E. Reed and the defendant's attorneys the hearing was set for 10 a. m. Saturday.

Mrs. Vance appeared in court with a large bandage over her right eye. Throughout the arraignment proceedings she clung to the hand of her sister, Margaret Davis of Oak Hill near Jackson in the southern part of the state.

Police Capt. Mackan and Deputy Sheriff Millard E. Baldwin, who brought Mrs. Vance and her sister from the hospital, said Mrs. Vance appeared calm during the trip from the hospital. Because of a knee injury she was unable to walk steadily, however.

Brief Stay in Court
Actually she was in the courtroom only a little over five minutes. After arrangements for the preliminary hearing on Saturday morning were completed she was taken to the county jail.

Prosecutor Reed said today that in talking with Mrs. Vance at the hospital since the crime he has been unable to obtain from her a story of the events leading up to the fatal explosion. He said considerable investigation has been under way in other channels, however. He had no further comments.

The explosion in which her husband was killed occurred shortly after 6:30 a. m. June 2. On the way to the hospital in an ambulance Mr. Vance told members of the police department that he awoke about 6:30 feeling "dizzily groggy. According to police he said he attempted to light a cigarette when the blast occurred.

Police examination revealed that natural gas had been piped into Mr. Vance's room through a 25-foot section of rubber garden hose. One end of the hose, police said, was fastened to a gas outlet in the bathroom on the second floor of the North State street residence. The other end was fastened to the underneath part of the foot of Vance's bed.

Room Chaired by Blast
The entire room in which the explosion occurred was charred by the explosion. Dr. R. T. Morgan, acting Marion county coroner, said second degree burns caused the death of Mr. Vance.

Mrs. Vance was found lying in the hallway a few feet from the doorway to Mr. Vance's room. In one hand she held a cheap revolver and in the other a small hand axe. She had shot herself twice behind the temple and above the right ear.

In City hospital after the shooting Mrs. Vance admitted to police shooting herself but denied knowing about the hose.

Neither victim was given much chance to live at the time of the tragic event. Mr. Vance died exactly 12½ hours after the explosion.

Several days after the crime Mrs. Vance underwent a tedious operation for removal of disintegrated gun shot which had lodged in her head. Two of the three pieces known to be lodged in her head were removed by a Marion surgeon. The third, believed to be lodged in the brain tissues at the base of the skull, has never been extracted.

House Searched
A few days after the death of Mr. Vance Police Chief William E. Marks, Police Capt. Mackan and Prosecutor Reed made a thorough search of the home.

They reported that they found a 25-foot section of garden hose lying on the floor in the middle of Mrs. Vance's room and a short piece of spliced rubber tubing on a table in the kitchen on the first floor. The tubing, Prosecutor Reed said at the time, was actually two pieces of small rubber hose spliced together with adhesive tape. A roll of tape from

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HAMBURG HAS 9TH BIG RAID IN TEN DAYS

Ruins Blasted Again as New Record for Sustained Attack Is Set.

By The Associated Press
LONDON, Aug. 3—A great fleet of the RAF's biggest bombers returned to battered Hamburg last night and gave the once-thriving German port its ninth pounding in 10 days to break all records for sustained attacks upon a single target.

Fires set in the last assault on Hamburg Thursday night were burning as the RAF swept over the city to add to the havoc created by some 8,000 tons of bombs dropped in the eight previous raids.

Thirty bombers were reported lost in the raid, which was carried out in great force and was accompanied by attacks upon other objectives in northwest Germany, an announcement said.

Other Targets Hit
An air ministry communiqué said that in addition to the raid on Hamburg, other bombers blasted objectives in the Ruhr valley, and that Beaufighters and Mosquitos from the fighter command flew deep into Holland and northwest Germany. Airfields and targets at Svl and Cuxhaven were bombed. Two fighter command planes were reported missing.

Royal Australian air force headquarters of the coastal command operating off the coast of Norway torpedoed an enemy supply ship, the communiqué said.

The assaults broke a two-night lull in the great allied aerial offensive which was launched on Saturday, July 24 when American bombers blasted the German base at Trondheim, Norway, by daylight.

Reports from neutral sources over the week-end described Hamburg as a heap of rubble as the result of the almost continuous pounding to which it has been subjected.

Say City Nearly Deserted
Stockholm dispatches said orders for evacuation of the remaining civilian population—

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CLASSES IN SHOP TRAINING OPENED

Will Help Provide Workers for Ordnance Plant.

Classes for training in machine shop work opened today at the Harding High school shop.

The shop is being opened this summer at the request of the U. S. Rubber Co. in cooperation with the U. S. Employment service, in an effort to obtain skilled labor for the company at the Scioto Ordnance plant.

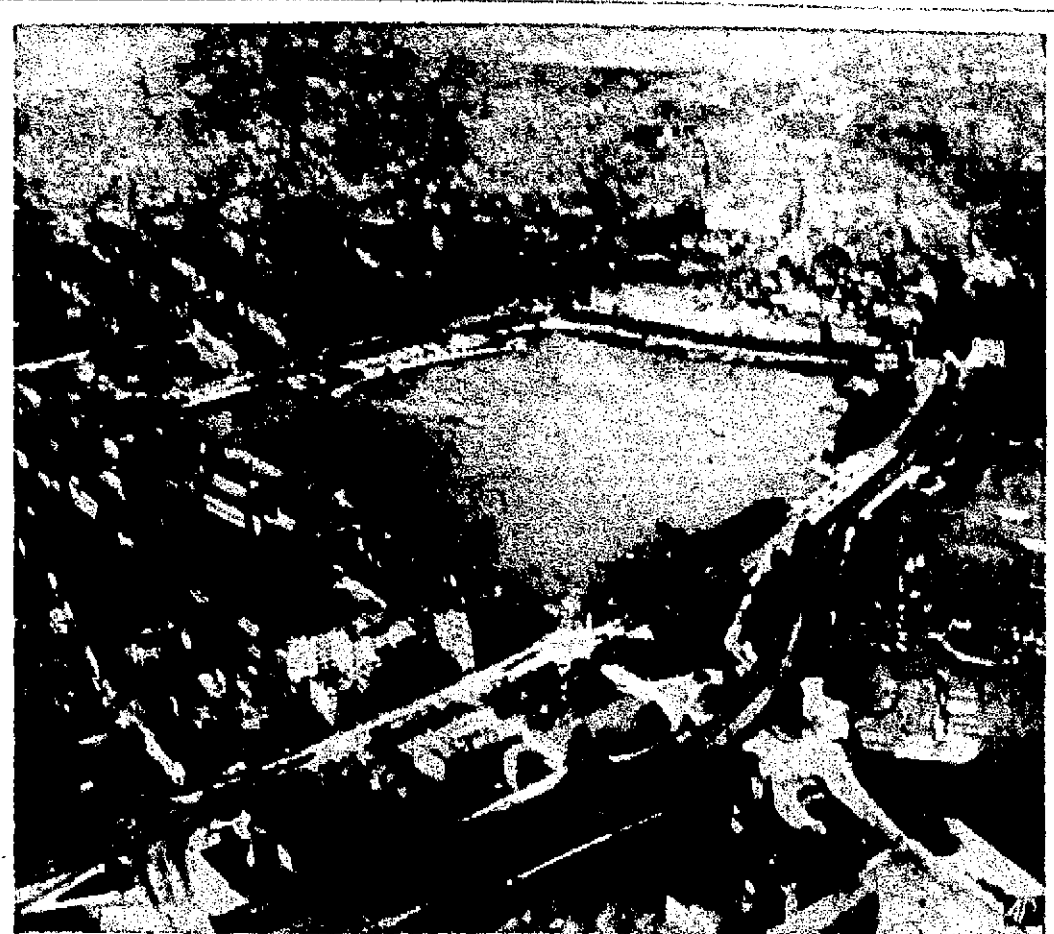
Men and women who qualify for entrance in the school through the U. S. Rubber Co. will receive payment during the training period, S. Luke, employment manager at the plant announced. The course is open to anyone wishing to take the work, but only persons enrolling through the rubber company will receive pay, it is explained.

Men and women qualifying at the end of two weeks' training will, for a period of four weeks, spend three days at the rubber company's plant and three days at the school and at the end of eight weeks will be eligible for classification as a semi-skilled machinist in addition to instruction in machine work there will be blue print reading.

Frank Stanley is conducting the six weeks' course. To enter the class persons must enroll either at the U. S. Employment office or at the U. S. Rubber Co. office, and they may enter the class at any time.

Classes are held each day, Monday through Saturday from 8 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. with a half-hour for lunch.

25 ENEMY PLANES DOWNED
By The Associated Press
LONDON, Aug. 3—American Thunderbolt fighters which supported Flying Fortresses in the successful bombing of German war industries on July 30 shot down 25 enemy fighters in one of the most furious aerial battles of the war, United States Army headquarters announced today.



BEFORE THE ALLIES STRUCK. This view of a section of Hamburg was made before the Allied air forces showered thousands of tons of bombs on the German city.

Preparatory Work Started On Marion Army Air Forces Depot

Two Officers in Charge Organizing Corps To Get Storage Installation Operating on Site of Scioto Ordnance Plant.

Two Army Air Forces officers who will direct establishment and operation of the AAF Specialized Storage Depot at the Scioto Ordnance Plant site have arrived and are already busy setting up the starting force of several hundred persons needed to get the new depot into smooth operation.

The commanding officer is Major R. G. Shank, who came to Scioto from Chanute Field, Ill., where he was supply officer and AAF contracting officer at the 18th Sub. Depot. Lieut. W. E. Hedeler, who came from St. Louis storage depot, is the supply officer.

The new depot will handle spare parts for one type of airplane engine used in pursuit ships. As the only depot supplying parts for this particular engine, the Marion depot will have a worldwide supply problem, because the engines are used not only in this country but in combat areas throughout the world.

Storing and shipping some several thousand different types of parts for this type of engine will be the function of the depot, and in its work it will use all types of transportation to get the parts to their destination in the quickest and most feasible manner, Major Shank said.

Just now, the officers' big problem is forming the organization that will handle this work. All of the depot jobs will be filled through civil service, and all applicants will be cleared through the Marion U. S. Employment Service office at State and Center streets. Types of workers needed include carpenters and carpenter's helpers for the boxing and treating of shipments, warehousemen including stockkeepers, shipping clerks, receiving clerks, materials handlers and light duty truck drivers.

Storage facilities are no problem because existing buildings of the Scioto Ordnance Plant will be used for that purpose. Only minor changes are required to adapt the buildings to their new use.

Major Shank and Lieut. Hedeler are making their headquarters in the administration building of the Ordnance Plant. Although operations will be on a limited basis at first, the depot, when in full swing, will operate 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Arrangements for housing the U. S. Pilot Dives Plane Five Miles at Speed of Sound

By The Associated Press
LONDON, Aug. 3—Aviation experts are studying the feat of an American test pilot who shattered all world records when he succeeded in diving a P-38 Lightning plane 25,000 feet, or nearly five miles, and achieved a speed of more than 780 miles an hour—approximately the speed of sound.

The flier, Lieut. Col. Cass S. Hough of Plymouth, Mich., technical director of the Eighth Fighter Command of the United States Army air forces, was given the distinguished flying cross by Brig. Gen. Frank O'D. Hunter, commander of American fighter planes in the European theater. Hough's citation said the award was made for special attainment in "independent flight research."

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Hough's dive is believed to be the longest in aviation history. It was made in September, 1942. (The highest speed previously officially recorded in a power dive was approximately 725 miles an hour.

Work Together in War, But Problems Loom for Peace, Cassidy Declares After Trip.

Henry J. Cassidy has just returned to his post as chief of the Associated Press bureau in Moscow after six months on leave in the United States.

By HENRY J. CASSIDY
MOSCOW, Aug. 3—A two-weeks flight from Washington to Moscow and back talks with people at both ends of the line provide a rare bird's-eye view of Soviet-American relations: close cooperation in war but problems ahead for peace.

Both military and diplomatic officials indicate a steady improvement in day-to-day relations with cooperation now better than at any other time since the war started.

Although the third lend-lease protocol which was due to start July 1 is not yet signed, deliveries

AXIS DECLARES SEVEN-POINT OFFER MADE

Terms, Not Confirmed by Any Allied Source, Include Halt of All Resistance.

By The Associated Press

LONDON, Aug. 3—A DNB broadcast of a Geneva dispatch to 11 Papale Di Roma, recorded by The Associated Press, declared today President Roosevelt had advanced a seven-point armistice proposal to Italy.

The axis account, without confirmation from allied quarters, listed the points proposed as follows:

- 1—The Italian army and navy to cease all resistance.
- 2—Collaboration with Germany must cease at once.
- 3—Italian troops in Greece, Albania, France and former Yugoslavia are to be withdrawn at once.
- 4—War materials must be handed over to the allies undamaged.
- 5—An Anglo-American-Soviet military government will be established in Italy until the end of operations.
- 6—Arrest of all war criminals.
- 7—The release of all allied prisoners of war on Italian soil.

Armistice Rumors Continue

The roundabout report through Axis channels followed up repeated German and Italian rumors of negotiations for an armistice, as opposed to the allied demands for unconditional surrender.

Premier Marshal Pietro Badoglio continued his silent defiance of the allied warnings of air bombardments and invasion to come.

Anti-Fascist forces inside Italy were reported gathering strength to aid allied divisions when defenses of the Italian mainland are breached.

That an allied landing on the southern shores of Italy is not far distant was promised the Italian people yesterday by broadcasts from Radio Algiers, which crumbled the names of Benito Mussolini and Badoglio as "these evil forces" responsible for the betrayal of Italy.

Evidence of the growing strength of the anti-Fascist, anti-Badoglio movement in Italy came from Madrid where talk of an impending "people's march" on Rome was reported in Italian quarters in the Spanish capital.

People's March Expected
The Madrid dispatches asserted that if Badoglio stalls much longer, Italian leftists may organize a people's march on the Italian capital, Milan and other centers from all points in Italy. This is the strategy by which Benito Mussolini succeeded in grasping power for his Fascist party on Oct. 30, 1922.

Badoglio apparently was striving feverishly to maintain his government at all costs—telling the Italian people on one hand that he is doing everything in his power to obtain a fair peace while issuing veiled threats of continued defiance for consumption abroad on the other hand.

Reports from neutral countries expressed doubt, however, as to just how much Badoglio could count on Italian military forces if he attempted to resist an allied invasion.

Reported Hostile to Nazis
Nowhere among the great masses of the Italian people, according to the best information obtainable here, is there any sign of bitterness toward the allies, although hostility toward the Nazis is reported as almost universal. An indication of this was seen in the reply of Cardinal Nardini-Rocca, archbishop of Bologna, to a message of sympathy from the Pope, on the bombing of the city.

The Vatican radio, in a broadcast recorded by the British ministry of information, quoted the Cardinal as saying: "No bitterness should be felt at the fate of the air raid victims." Bologna was raided by Flying Fortresses on July 25.

KENYON GETS REQUEST

By The Associated Press
CHICAGO, Aug. 3—A \$20,000 bequest to Kenyon College at Gambier, O., was contained in the will of Charles B. Shafter, pioneer oil operator.

WEATHER REPORT

OHIO FORECAST
Thunderstorms and cooler tonight.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

Noon Today	72
(For period between 8 a. m. yesterday and 8 a. m. today.)	
Maximum	86
Minimum	70
Rainfall	1.24 of an inch
One Year Ago Today	
Maximum	85
Minimum	60

Moscow Dateline

by HENRY C. CASSIDY

U. S. and Britain Warned Russia of Attack

CHAPTER 2

THE Germans had watched Stalin bidding Matveev a good-bye with glittering eyes last afternoon, as though they were fascinated, and with good reason. For exactly one week before, on Sunday, April 5, Stalin had concluded a pact of friendship with Yugoslavia, on the very day that Germany invaded that country. As it later developed, that pact was instrumental in convincing Hitler that the Soviet Union intended to invade Germany and western Europe, and that he must himself invade Russia first, before turning away against England. Those who knew the inside story of that pact, however, realized that such was not the case; that it was a very timid gesture indeed.

In the beginning, the Russians proposed a pact of friendship and neutrality. It would have been strange, had they intended to enforce the pact with armed action,

Yugoslavia, although Gavriloitch and his staff did not go to the aid of the Russians until 1941, when German troops were already in Belgrade and German troops were marching into Yugoslavia. The seemingly unimportant difference in dates was very important in that it left the Russians a loophole to slip away from any German charges that they had signed with an actual enemy of the Reich. On the day the pact was dated, Yugoslavia and Germany still maintained diplomatic relations.

But this period of apparent Soviet independence of Germany was short-lived. The Russians had misjudged the strength of the Balkans and had expected the reaction there of a front against Germany. When it failed to materialize, they crowded quickly back into their shell. Here, again, it was the Yugoslav legation which played the leading role.

Another interesting point was that this action was taken without prompting by Germany. It was estimated that perhaps 300,000 family men actually would be indicted this year. Married men still in civilian life average 30.5 years of age and the rejection rate was expected to be high. The "bottom of the barrel" states include Tennessee, Alabama, Oklahoma, Maryland, Arkansas, Nebraska, Utah and Maine.

Quotas for August and September call for inducting 275,000 men each month. The armed forces are counting on 625,000 for the last three months of the year. Of that number however 150,000 can be obtained from the ranks of youths newly turned 18 and another 175,000 from single men still in civilian life.

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DRAFT OF DADS TO BE STARTED

October Set as Month When They Are To Be Called as Needed To Meet Quotas.

By The Associated Press
WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—Only a handful of states can get through October without some drafting of post-war fathers now that selective service has lifted the ban against it, an official survey indicated today.

Many states reported they were scraping the bottom of the manpower barrel and if they are to meet October quotas, fathers heretofore deferred for dependency reasons alone must go into uniform.

Draft headquarters authorities expressed regret the step had to be taken and asserted every means would be exhausted first before general induction would proceed. They would predict however that men with families still would be civilians much after Nov. 1, unless of course they were engaged in essential occupations, or farming, or local boards ruled their induction would bring severe hardship to their wives and children.

Outlines Policy
Manpower Commissioner Paul V. McNutt announced yesterday the lifting of the ban on induction of fathers whose children were born before Sept. 15, 1942. He emphasized however that the local boards should call up fathers after Oct. 1 only to the extent "absolutely required" to meet their quotas.

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Ohio To Reclassify 3-A Men at Once

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 3.—Ohio selective service headquarters today instructed draft boards to begin immediately the reclassification of 3-A registrants to 1-A.

Col. C. W. Goble, director, said that while it is not desirable to reclassify 3-A's any faster than they are needed, the reclassification should be launched quickly so that the required number would be available for induction.

He asserted it was impossible to estimate the number of 3-A's who would be reclassified or the number that would be inducted.

The director asked the local boards to continue their selections for induction on a basis of dependency and added that in making such selections the local boards will continue to give due regard to the essential requirements of agriculture, war production and activity in support of the war effort.

In his discussion Mr. Evans recommended a reduction in the proposed 1944 budget and the expenditures for 1942 be made a ceiling. A reduction of at least \$21,000 in order to live within the anticipated income as required by budget laws was recommended for the anticipated expenditures in the 1944 budget. He also pointed out that in 1942 the actual balance in the general fund was in excess of \$59,000, which amount will be dissipated to less than \$4,000 at the end of 1944 on the basis of the present 1944 budget and appropriations in 1943, due, he stated, to increased expenditures in nearly all departments.

He included all departments in his recommendation of a ceiling on all expenditures based on the 1942 actual expenditures.

Regarding reappraisals in the county Mr. Evans recommended that statutory laws be complied with by the county auditor in making the six-year reappraisal during the current year. Such laws, he pointed out, makes it mandatory that the county auditor make a sound and equitable reappraisal of all real estate in the county instead of the blanket increase on valuations as now anticipated.

It was suggested to the county commissioners that such economies be considered in the 1944 budget as recommended in the county survey which was presented to the tax committee of the Marion County District Tax council of the Ohio Chamber of Commerce and the tax committee of the local chamber a few months ago. Wilson B. Tway is chairman of the district council, and Paul Bachman is chairman of the tax committee of the local chamber.

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Greased Lightning



This Navy gunpointer operating the anti-aircraft guns of a speedy MTB boat is backed up by kitchen grease salvaged from by drops by patriotic American housewives. A pound of waste fat (31 tablespoons) turned in to a meat dealer today will be processed into glycerine urgently needed for gunpowder and medicines within three weeks.

Boreman-Beck Vows Exchanged at Crestline

Special to The Star

CRESTLINE, Aug. 3.—Miss Doris Boreman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boreman of Shelby, became the bride of Paul Everett Beck, son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Beck of Crestline in an open house wedding in Trinity Evangelical Lutheran church Saturday. Rev. Charles H. Lange performed the ceremony.

Miss Beck was at the altar and was accompanied by the bridesmaid, Miss Barbara Beck, was maid of honor and Misses Donna Ely and Dorothy Snively, both of Shelby, were the bridesmaids. Ray Boreman Jr. was best man. Harry Kluener and Arthur Vaughn were ushers.

The couple are on a trip to Chicago. They will reside at 666 1/2 East Main street.

The bride is employed at the First National bank in Crestline. The bridegroom is a graduate of Crestline High school and is employed by the Pennsylvania railroad.

George J. O'Brien Gets State C. of C. Promotion

By The Associated Press

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 3.—George J. O'Brien was named acting secretary of the Ohio Chamber of Commerce pending the mid-September meeting of trustees in Pick a successor to Earl S. Dixon, resigned. O'Brien was born in Cleveland and prior to coming here five years ago was personnel director of American Steel Foundries in Alliance for 10 years and president-manager of the Alliance Chamber of Commerce eight years.

BEEKEEPERS MEET

Methods to increase hive output for August were explained by J. W. Bain, principal speaker at the monthly meeting of the Marion County Beekeepers' association at the Y. M. C. A. last night. His address was entitled, "Artificial Increases in Apisaries Now and for Next Year." Mr. Bain, former president of the association, pointed out that only during June, July and August can beekeepers increase their apisaries and that different methods must be employed for each month. He said that artificial increasing measures were preferable for August as changing natural developments usually does not work out so effectively.

HARDIN CO. COURT REPORTER

KENTON—Miss Dorothea Kinnear, office manager for the Hardin county AAA office, yesterday resigned to become official common pleas court reporter. She becomes the second case reporter in history of the local court and succeeds the late Miss Mary B. Scott. Miss Kinnear is a graduate of Marion Business college.

SPEAK AT GALION

GALION—Gallion's contributions to the war effort were discussed in talks by Howard Duhamel of the North Electric Manufacturing Co. and Chester Zimmerman of the First National bank Monday night at the Galion Rotary club meeting.

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The Russians did not consider German troop movements on the frontier "hostile in character." They were to learn the truth a few weeks later when this picture was taken showing a gloating Hitler escorting Premier Mussolini on an inspection tour of the Soviet front.

to insist as they did on a clause of neutrality. The Yugoslavs, however, held out for a pact of friendship, without mention of neutrality. During the night of April 5, the Yugoslav minister, Milan Gavriloitch, talked repeatedly by telephone to Belgrade. In the hours just before that capital was blasted by German bombs, obtaining authorization to sign the final text from which the Russians agreed to drop the neutrality clause. The Germans actually interpreted these conversations at Budapest, and published some of them—but conveniently left out all mention of the Russian desire for neutrality. Then the Russians insisted that the pact be dated April 5, the day before the German attack on

SOON after the signing of the Soviet-Yugoslav pact, the German ambassador, Graf Friedrich Werner von der Schulenburg, went to Berlin for consultation. He returned to Moscow in time for the May Day parade, Soviet Russia's last Red Square spectacle before the war. It was a brilliant display but Graf von der Schulenburg had brought news which was to darken the horizon. On the night of May 6, Andrei Vyshinsky, the man who prosecuted the 1936 purge trials and who was now first vice minister for foreign affairs, called Gavriloitch to the Narkomindiel, or foreign commissariat. He almost wept, he hated to say it, but the Soviet government must sever diplomatic relations with Yugoslavia, the state with which it had signed one month before a pact of friendship. Every consideration would be shown the Yugoslav diplomats, he said, and they could remain in Russia in a private capacity, if they desired, but formal relations must be broken. Tight-lipped Gavriloitch left the Narkomindiel, and that night he spoke to no one.

The next morning, Ivar Lunde, secretary of the Norwegian legation, opened an envelope of the kind that usually brought ordinary bills for rent from Burebion, the office for services to foreigners, and found in it a brief note, saying that the Soviet government, in view of the fact that Norway no longer existed as a sovereign state, was ceasing relations. I learned of it from Lunde, and called both the Belgian and Yugoslav legations, since they were in the same position, to see if they had received similar notes. The Belgian min-

When I called the German and Italian embassies to obtain their reaction, assuming that they were aware of the development, and indeed had brought it about, neither of them knew about it. They were astonished to hear of it. It was voluntary appeasement.

Gavriloitch and his staff left by train the morning of June 3 for Ankara. The Belgian legation left that afternoon by trans-Siberian express for the United States. And when the Greek minister, Diamantopoulos, returned to his legation from seeing off the Belgians, he, too, found a little note, for German occupation of his country was now complete.

'You know what this means,' the Greek minister told me: 'peace in the east.' And Moscow's diplomatic corps was convinced that the Soviet course was set firmly once more in the path of appeasement. A project as gigantic as invasion of Russia cannot be kept secret and the German troop movements alone were enough to show what was coming, but while rumors flow elsewhere all over the world of the coming battle, the Russians would not believe it, and the diplomats could not believe it.

Stalin, in this period, took over from Molotov the post of chairman of the council of people's commissars, or prime minister. What was the emergency which finally brought him out of the obscurity of the party chambers to the open council rooms of the government? The consensus of diplomats was that this was not a 'cabinet de guerre,' but a cabinet of 'pacte a quatre,' meaning with Germany, Italy, and Japan.

The attitude of the Russians themselves to the Soviet-German crisis was reflected in a story then making the rounds of a conversation between Stalin and Hitler. Stalin: 'What are all your troops doing on the Soviet border?' Hitler: 'They're here on vacation. What are all your troops doing here?' Stalin: 'They're here to see that your stay on vacation is a pleasant one.'

THAT story may not have been very far from the truth.

Tass, the Soviet official news agency, said the movements of Soviet and German troops toward their common frontier were not of a 'hostile character.' The Red army, it insisted, was simply bent upon ordinary summer maneuvers. Reports of fiction were said to have been spread with the intention of provoking Soviet-German hostilities and spreading the war! This phrase was a throw-back to the days of March, 1939, when Stalin had first pre-

scribed to his party friendship with Germany, warned against the 'Anglo-French warmongers,' and ruled that Russia should not 'pull their chestnuts out of the fire.'

'Both countries intend to observe the provisions of the Soviet-German pact of friendship,' Tass concluded, speaking with a false authoritative air of knowledge about the intentions of Germany.

Great Britain and the United States warned the Soviet government of information in their possession, that Germany was preparing to attack, and that very warning brought forth another demonstration of Soviet desire for peace.

The British ambassador, Sir Stafford Cripps, asked for an interview with Stalin, to communicate this information to him. It was declined. He asked for an interview with Molotov. It was declined. He finally succeeded in seeing Vyshinsky, and although that interview has never been published, the general impression was that Vyshinsky went as far as to indicate he considered Sir Stafford a 'provocateur,' for implying that Germany would turn against her Soviet friends.

Sir Stafford left early in June, apparently a beaten man. It was made known that he was going to Stockholm, 'to have his teeth fixed.' Actually, he went to London on business, and he expected never to return to Moscow. It remained for the Germans to make his mission in Russia a success, and to make Great Britain and the Soviet Union allies.

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Diet Changes Due To War Is Called Benefit To U. S.

By The Associated Press
WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—The war isn't groaning with more but the food rationing is making a difference in the U. S. department of diet.

And different cooking ideas are largely responsible for the change.

The value of the nation's food has been on a steady rise for years. Civilians are getting more protein, fat, vitamins in their diets than in 1941 and 1942 than in the years of 1935-39. The rationing of these items has even larger this year than in any other year in the history of the nation.

Government said food production probably would be a record output of the war but that per capita consumption would drop about 3.7 percent. The rationing of these items will get less than requirements are for 1942.



NEW SKI SHOE. An employee of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company at Akron, Helen Smith displays the new U. S. Army mountain troop shoe with a newly-developed sole and heel for use with skis or on steep, hard, and slippery surfaces. The design was originated by Italian and Swiss mountain guides.

Lt. Robert L. Ruckman Goes to Florida Post

Lt. Robert Lee Ruckman, who with Mrs. Ruckman came to Marion for a visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Baldwin of 196 East Washington avenue, following his graduation last Wednesday at Turner Field, Albany, Ga., has gone to Sebring, Fla., where he will be stationed. Mrs. Ruckman, who was Miss Patricia Ann Baldwin before her marriage, will remain with her parents for the present. Lt. and Mrs. Ruckman were accompanied back by the former's mother, Mrs. J. S. Ruckman of Mansfield, who attended the graduation exercises. Lt. Ruckman, who is a pilot, was first stationed at Nashville, Tenn. and took his pre-flight training at Maxwell Field, Ala., later going to Hawthorne School of Aeronautics at Orangeburg, S. C. for his primary. He trained at Bush Field at Augusta, Ga., before going to Turner Field. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ruckman of Mansfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin's son, Lt. Thomas A. Baldwin, who has been stationed at Merced Army Flying Field at Merced, Calif., has been sent to Fort Sumner, N. M., where he will attend student officers' training school as a pilot.

New Allied Currency Being Used in Sicily

By The Associated Press
WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—An allied military currency—first of its kind—is being used by invasion troops in Sicily. The treasury and war departments have announced jointly.

Printed by the treasury's bureau of engraving and printing in Washington, the money, which bears the words "Issued in Italy," was flown to Sicily shortly after the allied landing and now is serving "as the medium of exchange in that part of Italy that we now hold."

The announcement said the purpose of the new and distinctive currency is to give the occupied areas money in familiar denominations and terms.

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Machine That Does Variety Of Important Jobs in War Areas Is Major Osgood Co. Product

This is one of a series of articles being published by The Star to show how Marion factories are making important contributions to the industrial war effort. It has been approved for publication by the Office of Censorship in Washington, D.C.

Multi-purpose machines that actually go to the front with combat troops are the No. 1 item of business these days at the factory of The Osgood Co. One of Marion's industrial concerns now on a 100 per cent war production basis.

Peace-time users of the machines would quickly identify them as a half-yard power shovel, but with attachments the company has developed, they have tremendous significance for the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, which has purchased many of the units and has instructed the company to produce more of them as quickly as possible.

These machines have attachments that enable each to be operated as a shovel, crane, clamshell, dragline and pile driver. It is finding use in war zones for every type of construction and repair work and for the handling of military supplies.

Although the exact use of the machines in various theaters of war can not be told, the company has a photo in its lobby showing one of the units repairing roads in New Guinea. In the last two weeks, newswires at Marion theaters have shown them enroute to the Aleutian area by way of the new Alcan highway, and also in action on the island of Panellera in the Mediterranean, cleaning up bomb debris.

Help Clear the Way

Officers back from inspection tours at the front have told company officials their product was one of the first units used in land-troop offensive operations, being among the first units beached in landing operations and used for such other purposes as clearing and laying landing fields, establishing necessary sanitary facilities and handling materials. On an airport job, the unit has been reported able to clear ground for a landing strip, with the use of its shovel attachment, and then, converted into a crane, lay landing mats speedily.

These machines have been taken by the U. S. Engineers as rapidly as the company has been able to build them since late in 1940.

Although this type of machine has headed the company's list of products for many months, it has built other equipment for the war effort, and in meeting wartime requirements of the various war agencies it has served, the company has greatly expanded its operations. This year, shipments by the Osgood Co. and sub-contractors will exceed \$8,000,000, company officials said. Employment is 50 per cent above the December, 1940, level, despite the fact the company has lost 18 per cent of its personnel to the armed forces.

Cranes Widely Used

Probably No. 2 on the Osgood war production list is the Mobile-crane, a crane mounted on rubber tires. These cranes have been used at many shipyards, around points of embarkation where large quantities of equipment must be handled quickly and at ordnance plants scattered all over the country. One is used at the Marion Engineer Depot.

The usefulness of the Mobile-crane can be visualized when company officials explain the unit can lift a load of several tons, carry it to any desired point and lower it into the hold of a ship or at any other desired location. In many instances, use of this machine, requiring the service of only one operator, has eliminated repeated handlings of bulky equipment between the stockpile and its place in a completed ship or other type of construction project.

A special machine of this type was built for the Kaiser shipyards to handle extra-heavy loads. It had a 15-foot gauge or tread width, was supported by eighteen 12x24 inch tires and could carry a load of 30 tons. This machine could pick up a section of a ship's armor plate at some far corner of the shipyard, wheel it down to the ways where a ship was under construction and hold it at the proper position while welders made it an integral part of the ship.

Extensive Service Area

Starting in 1940 with work in the defense program, the company has sold to almost every government agency dealing with the war, including the Navy, water transport and Army Engineers.

An integral part of the Osgood is the Commercial Steel Castings Co. A large part of its production goes into Osgood machines, and it also supplies special castings for other war contractors. In addition to its regular line, it is making large quantities of gun mount castings for the Northern Ordnance Works at Minneapolis and for the Fisher Body gun mount division.

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The company has received commendations for its war work, the most outstanding recognition coming from the Army and Navy in its presentation of an "E" flag for excellence in war production last fall. Last March, Lieut. Gen. Brehon Somervell, commanding officer of the Services of Supply, sent a telegram to the company expressing his satisfaction with the equipment produced by American industry, as viewed by him on a 34,000-mile inspection trip through many countries. "Its adequacy everywhere was a source of great satisfaction to me and everyone in my organization should be proud of your contribution and the important part you are playing in helping us to victory," he said.

The company's workmen also like to read a letter sent by Brig. Gen. R. F. Fowler of the Corps of Engineers declaring that "The importance of aerial warfare is common knowledge to practically every American citizen, and the importance of the work of those engaged in the manufacture and distribution of the equipment for such warfare is widely emphasized. Equal emphasis should be placed upon the equal importance of the production of Engineer construction equipment without which planes and guns can not function."

Tributes to Men in Service

The company has paid unusual tribute to its men in service in several different ways. Whenever a man is accepted for military service he gets a \$25 check from the company. When workers leave the plant to enter service, company officials invite him to hang up his factory identification badge, carrying his name and photograph, on the glass-enclosed display board at the main gate. He is told that the badge and 1/2 old job will be waiting for him when he returns, and also that his badge will remain on display to remind his fellow workers that he has transferred his war efforts from industrial to military service.

SUNBURY PLANT HONORED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—Outstanding production on war contracts won the Army-Navy "E" award for 20 industrial plants, the war department announced today. Among them: Nestle's Milk Products, Inc.; Nescafe plant, Sunbury, O.



GENERAL CONVERSATION. Lieut. Gen. Walter Krueger (left), who directed the American occupation of the Woodlark and Kiriwina Islands, talks with Brig. Gen. Hanford MacNider at a Milne Bay airport while awaiting the arrival of Gen. Douglas MacArthur from Australia.

Little Chats on Public Notices

By JAMES E. POLLARD
Ohio State University.

A BASIC DIFFERENCE

As each month of the war has shown, there are deep fundamental differences between the United Nations and the Axis powers. Since this is true of their philosophy, it is reflected in their actions. It would be basically impossible for the United Nations to subscribe to such ideas as Hitler's "new order," or Japan's "co-prosperity sphere" in East Asia, or to knuckle to the cruelty and barbarity of either foe.

Another basic difference lies in their attitude toward due process and its twin, due notice. Just as Hitler did against Poland and Russia, so did Japan strike without notice against Russia in 1904 and at Pearl Harbor in 1941. To the gangster nations these were only surprise attacks but to the civilized world they were treachery.

In domestic and civil matters the basic idea behind Public Notices is to give proper notice with reasonable time. This is what makes them a bulwark of safety in personal and public affairs. The bully nations would not appreciate this.

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Shooting Stars To Be Visible on Aug. 11-12

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—The annual display of shooting stars in the northeastern skies will reach its peak on the night of Aug. 11-12, the United States Naval Observatory reported today. It added, however, that the Perseid meteors probably will be seen best on the preceding night from 1 a. m. until dawn. The meteors appear regularly each year. Presumably 20 or more can be seen speeding through the skies in a single hour.

Ohioans Among Missing and Wounded Soldiers

By The Associated Press
WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—The War department announced today the names of U. S. Army personnel from Ohio missing in action.

They included:

First Army area: Staff Sgt. William Oliver Warren, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis.

Second Army area: Staff Sgt. William Oliver Warren, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis.

Third Army area: Staff Sgt. William Oliver Warren, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis.

Fourth Army area: Staff Sgt. William Oliver Warren, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis.

Fifth Army area: Staff Sgt. William Oliver Warren, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis.

Sixth Army area: Staff Sgt. William Oliver Warren, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis.

Seventh Army area: Staff Sgt. William Oliver Warren, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis.

Eighth Army area: Staff Sgt. William Oliver Warren, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis.

Ninth Army area: Staff Sgt. William Oliver Warren, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis.

Tenth Army area: Staff Sgt. William Oliver Warren, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis, Staff Sgt. Robert S. Davis.

Lt. Gen. Patton Praised Results of Rationing

By The Associated Press
HAMILTON, Mass., Aug. 3.—Sacrifices being made on the home front have helped American troops in the Sicilian campaign, according to no less an authority than Gen. George S. Patton Jr., leader of American forces in Sicily.

"The rationing at home is certainly insuring that the soldiers get plenty of butter at all meals, coffee three times a day and eggs for breakfast," the general said in a letter to Mrs. Patton at her Hamilton home.

"Within the last few months," he added, "there has been the greatest improvement in the soldier's life. In fact, I may say that they are now veterans in the true sense of the word."

Man Behind the Gun To Return to Network

By The Associated Press
NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—The documented war-production drama, The Man Behind the Gun, comes back to the list of sponsored programs next month under an arrangement CBS calls unique in radio operations.

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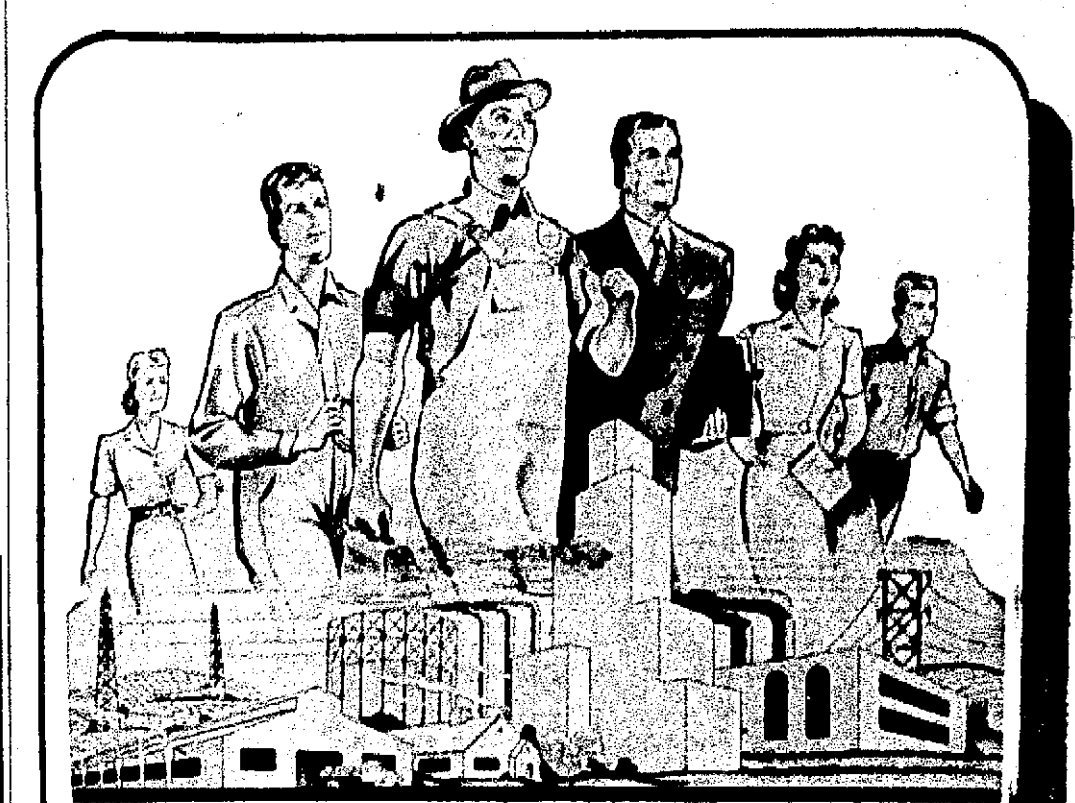
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WOMEN TO MEET
Meeting of the Ladies' Elks club held Wednesday at Hotel Harding, announcement to be made by Mrs. R. Felt and Mrs. F. Felt.

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U. M. PICNIC
Meeting of the Anna M. U. M. will be held at the home of Mrs. G. B. Gorbey of the Richmond street. Members are requested to bring their own table and a covered dish.

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At the Hall of 615 North State street a major operation performed at hospital yesterday.

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Tuesday, 8 p. m. Central Union Hall. Tickets at door, 25¢—Ad.

FAMILY DINNER HELD
A picnic dinner for members and their families was held in the hall yesterday evening at 8 p. m. by the Catholic Ladies of Columbus. Awards in cards were given to George Kelly and Mrs. G. F. Gorbey.

IN HOSPITAL
Patients in City hospital today for medical treatment are Mrs. A. Lincoln Smith of East Fairground street, admitted last night; Archie Lightner of 320 Quarry street, admitted last night; Mrs. Floyd Mount of near Marion, admitted last night.

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Butchered cattle, eating rabbits, chickens and eggs. Highest prices paid. Riser's Grocery, 733 E. Center. Dial 2437.—Ad.

SURGERY PATIENTS
Surgery patients in City hospital today include Mrs. Hilda Lindner of 369 Bellefontaine avenue, admitted last night; Mrs. Flora Marshman of 302 West Columbia street, minor operation today; Albert Zwilling of 280 Superior street, admitted this morning.

COLD PACKERS
And washers. Hull's Lock and Key Shop, 155 N. Main.—Ad.

ENSIGN'S FURLOUGH ENDS
Ensign Pauline Parish of the WAVES has returned to Northampton, Mass., after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Parish of North Prospect street; and at their summer home at Lakeside. Ensign Parish is battalion adjutant of the hotel battalion at Hotel Northampton, and is assistant to the regimental commander at Smith college.

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Final reduced prices on all summer millinery. New fall hats arriving daily.—Ad.

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UPPER SANDUSKY — The Ohio State museum of Columbus is anxious to get specimens of the reptiles of Wyandot county. They are particularly interested in specimens of the black or racer snakes, the green snakes, and the prairie garter snakes likely to be found in the western half of the county. Supt. Irvin D. Tschantz of the Eden Centralized school is taking care of the collecting.

GETS BUCYRUS PROMOTION
BUCYRUS — The promotion of Mrs. Margaret Krebs from assistant at the Bucyrus U. S. employment service office to manager of this district was announced today. Mrs. Krebs will succeed Roy I. Lewis who has been transferred to the Shelby office.

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Why not surface treat our streets in the spring, not in the fall?—Paid Adv.

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LEAGUE MEETING
There will be a meeting of the Ladies' Home League of the Salvation Army tomorrow evening at 7:30 at the Salvation Army Citadel at 403 West Center street.

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PRETTYMAN REUNION
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TO PRESENT PLAYLET
A playlet, "Along an Indian Road," will be a feature of a meeting of the Missionary society of Trinity Baptist church for members of the society and their families in the church Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Richard Maxim will preside. Taking part in the play directed by Mrs. F. H. LeMaster will be Mrs. Harry Merchant, Mrs. Ralph Winget, Mrs. Frank Branson, Mrs. Harwood Taylor, Mrs. A. G. Spring, Mrs. Walter Haldeman, Mrs. Carl Pfeiffer, Mrs. A. H. Marks, Mrs. Roy Reddick, Mrs. Harry Wood, all Mrs. Clyde Morehouse, Mrs. Milan Gorbey, Mrs. Ralph Epley, Mrs. J. B. Holloway, Mrs. D. H. Gorman, Mrs. W. H. Brown, Misses Arlene Gorbey, Marilyn Gorbey, Julia Ann Gorman, Wendolyn Epley and Mary Jane Taylor. The meeting will take the place of the mid-week prayer service and of the regular Thursday meeting of the society this week.



DEATH OF LIN SEN, right above, venerable president of China, has brought the selection of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek as acting president by the Kuomintang's central executive committee. The generalissimo is shown, right in photo at left, as he received the American Legion of Merit decoration from Lieut. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell, commander of U. S. forces in China. This photograph from Chungking has just been received in the United States.

H-I-Y MEETING
The H-I-Y club of the Harding high school class of 1944 will hold its third in a series of summer meetings at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow night at 8:15. Policies and general program for all three next year's H-I-Y club will be outlined. Representatives of the club of the 1945 class have also been invited to attend.

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MEETING OPENS
A "Back to God" meeting which opened last night in Mt. Zion Baptist church at 200 Senate street is being conducted by Rev. Theodore Brevard, missionary of the denomination and acting pastor of the church. Services are each night this week at 8:30 and a Bible class meets each afternoon at 1 p. m. Brevard is making house calls in the neighborhood and he is presenting a Bible to each person who attends the afternoon classes.

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TOWNSEND SPEAKER
Guest speaker for a meeting of Townsend Club No. 1, last night at the Y. M. C. A. was Rev. O. T. Swigart. Clayton Dix presided and the meeting opened with singing of "America," the Lord's Prayer and salute to the flag by the audience. Music was furnished by Miss Marguerite Price, Mrs. Hazel Price and Mrs. Mary France, who sang the following numbers: "When My Blue Moon Turns to Gold," "The Beautiful Garden of Prayer," "Farewell to Thee" and "Song of the Islands." They played their own accompaniment on Hawaiian guitars. The Townsend Flash was read by Arthur Hershner. It was announced that the membership drive was still in progress.

BLAST FATAL TO 8 PROBED

Cleveland Factory Shaken by Explosion; 7 Workers Injured.

By The Associated Press
CLEVELAND, Aug. 5 — The death toll in an explosion that released poisonous fumes and rocked the Ferro-Framet Corp. today to eight today as military authorities proceeded quietly with an investigation.

Donald Henry, 38, died from the effects of inhaling the poisonous fumes which caused hospitalization of at least three of seven others injured.

Seven employees died a few hours after the blast, which occurred late yesterday.

Capt. William N. Noble of the Army's chemical warfare service said cause of the blast was undetermined, and that no details would be made public until the Army's investigation was completed.

The blast caused only slight

property damage Captain Noble said, despite the heavy toll of dead and injured.

Poisonous fumes released by the explosion caused hospitalization of some of the workers; others were burned and cut by flying glass.

Those fatally injured were identified as Andrew Bogosky, 48, James H. Lashley, 31, Louis Tereciak, 41, William Lubobinski, 29, Henry Nakel, 29, Konstantine Deluga, 48, and Stanislaus Szezech, 31, all of Cleveland.

Four of the eight injured were reported in a critical condition, and a number of other employees were ordered to remain at home to recuperate from minor injuries and effects of the fumes.

War Bonds should mean something more to you than just "a good sound investment." Figure it out yourself.

SKIN sufferers

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CORN ROAST PLANNED
Plans for a stag corn roast, Sept. 11, were announced at a meeting last night of Kappa Kappa Gamma at the Masonic temple. The fall ceremonial will be held some time in November and officials announced today that a large class is expected. Loren Lawrence, master of ceremonies, and A. H. Marks, past monarch, gave a report of the supreme council meeting held recently in New York.

ENTER CRESTLINE HOSPITAL
CRESTLINE — George Young was admitted to Emergency hospital Sunday and Mrs. Theodore Cromer was discharged to go to her home on Crestline street.

TRY OUR CHICKEN DINNER
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TAVERN BURGLARIZED
KENTON — Sheriff Randall R. Clark today investigated burglary of Pfeiffer Inn, a tavern just east of Kenton, entered early Monday and looted of \$100 stolen from vending machines, cash register and a hidden cigar box receptacle, according to Mrs. Emma Pfeiffer, operator.

EVERYBODY WILL BE THERE
Get your ticket for the Police man's Ball tomorrow night, 9 p. m., the Hyway Rollarena. Dick Zahra's orchestra. \$1 couple.—Ad.

MAJOR OPERATION
Mrs. J. N. Butz of near Prospect underwent a major operation yesterday morning at the June M. Case hospital in Delaware.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our thanks to neighbors, friends and relatives for their many deeds of kindness during the death of our loved one. For the beautiful flowers, also the ones who furnished cars, the singer, and Rev. Harmon for his kind consolation, also Mr. Hughes for his wonderful work.

Mrs. Peggy Hell, Robert Hell, S. W. Delrich, Pfc. Keith Tron.

THEFT REPORTED
John Embode of 903 David street reported to city police Sunday the theft of his billfold containing \$14 in cash from his home earlier in the day.

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REPORTS RING STOLEN
Theft of a diamond ring valued at \$200 was reported to city police last night by the owner, Robert M. Zanville of Toledo. He told police the ring was stolen from the rest room of a downtown business place. He said he stepped out of the room for a few minutes and left the ring lying on a ledge. When he returned the ring was gone, he said. Zanville described the ring as having a platinum top and containing about one karat.

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FINED FOR SPEEDING
James W. Ward of Delaware was fined \$10 and costs in mayor's court, Delaware, yesterday following his arrest by the state highway patrol on Route 23, north of Delaware, on a charge of speeding. He pleaded guilty.

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Jobs-First Program

OHIO'S Sen. Burton has joined with Sen. Radcliffe of Maryland in a request for steps to insure private employment for returning service men. They feel that as long as the government is assuring soldiers of its interest in a rehabilitation and security program for their benefit it should do something tangible—now—to assure jobs.

"If you don't have the business activity that produces jobs," says Sen. Burton, "it won't do a great deal of good to provide social security benefits."

The senators' proposal calls for an immediate firing of the problems threatening post-war business activity. These problems already are getting the earnest consideration of business management, which is handicapped in its attempts to solve them by uncertainty about government policies.

Business management needs to know from government spokesmen what they intend to do about settlement of war contracts—specifically, whether private enterprise producing war material will be able to liquidate its occupied capital for quick conversion to peace production.

It wants to know what is planned for the post-war handling of government-owned raw and finished materials and government-owned plants. It wants to know whether the Roosevelt administration, for example, if it remained in power another term, would take the government out of business when the war ended, or use the facilities it has developed for the war emergency to put government into peacetime competition with private enterprise.

Private business management wants to know about the prospect for business taxation, which affects its ability to accumulate surplus funds for conversion and expansion. If it could obtain satisfactory answers to these questions and if men and women in service could be assured that a jobs-first program was being worked out by the combined intelligence of private enterprise and government, there wouldn't need to be so much concern over measures to ease the shock if the end of the war finds business management still wondering what the government intends to do.

Organized Confusion

IF AS critics charge, Washington is the capital of organized confusion, it is living up to its reputation in the new tax law. By the time the Democrats and bureaucrats were finished with the relatively simple proposal incorporating the famous "Rumel plan," the result was a law that not even the tax experts pretend to understand.

Thanks to the incredible organization of confusion, the new tax law is going to require multiple returns from millions of taxpayers. This flood of forms will necessitate hiring thousands of new bureaucrats to think up more things to fill up more forms. What was proposed as a way to simplify the tax collection job has turned out to be the most complicated procedure in history, not because it was intended to be that way but because the opposition to the Rumel plan in congress and the United States treasury deliberately made it that way to satisfy their requirements for a tax law—requirements based in some cases on nothing but a conviction that taxation's first purpose is to satisfy grudges.

Despite confusion, the new tax law still is the only feasible way to collect income taxes from upward of 44,000,000 persons. In all probability when the 44,000,000 have had one year's experience with the law a lot of the confusion will be eliminated, by request. Some of the organizers of confusion may be eliminated, too.

Politicians Are Political

REPUBLICAN CHAIRMAN HARRISON E. SPANGLER'S charge that President Roosevelt's outline of a post-war program for service men is political—an appeal to the soldier vote—sounds naive, but Mr. Spangler is not a naive man. It will save confusion to remember that from now until the next chief executive of the United States has been elected a year from next November everything said in a spirit of political discussion is an appeal for someone's vote.

Americans are perpetually surprised because politicians are political. It is something like exclaiming with amazement over the fact that horses have legs. As long as Mr. Roosevelt, for instance, is in the running, everything he says will have political connotation, and as long as Mr. Spangler is in charge of the Republican party everything he says will be political, too. Even in the rare instances when politicians rise above themselves and forget they are politicians, everything they say has political significance.

They cannot escape the demands of their trade, and they don't waste much time trying. President Roosevelt, until he takes himself out of the running, must be presumed to be a candidate for office, which means he will behave like a politician. To be shocked by this, or to pretend to be shocked, is either naive or politics, and as was pointed out in the opening paragraph, Chairman Spangler is not naive.

NO TRAVEL ORDERS NEEDED

A neighbor reports a great argument is raging in his family about where to spend the vacation. The parents favor the back porch, the kids the front.—Omaha World Herald.

Today and Tomorrow

Need for Allied Fostering of Provisional Governments Seen in Events in Italian Theater.

By WALTER LIPPMANN

THERE are a very good reason for the need for the fostering of provisional governments in Italy. The Italian people have been making their political decisions in accordance with a very real estimate which the Italian people are making. To put it bluntly, the question is whether the Italian people are going to elect a new government or whether they are going to elect a new government.

The answer, I venture to suggest quite tentatively, is at bottom quite the President's chief military advisers have assumed that we would have to fight our way into Germany mile by mile.

Italy, across occupied France, and wherever else they decided to strike.

They are soldiers, who, however much they are willing to try the experiment of the strategic use of air power, have—quite rightly of course—prepared also for a decision by the ground forces.

But are the President and the state department right in taking their political gospel from the views of the ground soldiers?

In Italy at least what has actually happened is that the regime collapsed and the military resistance disintegrated, before a single soldier set foot on the mainland.

Problem Differs from Plans

If great national territories fall out of the war before we actually invade them, if the proponents of strategic air power prove to be right, then the actual problem of government in Europe is quite different from that which Anglo presupposes.

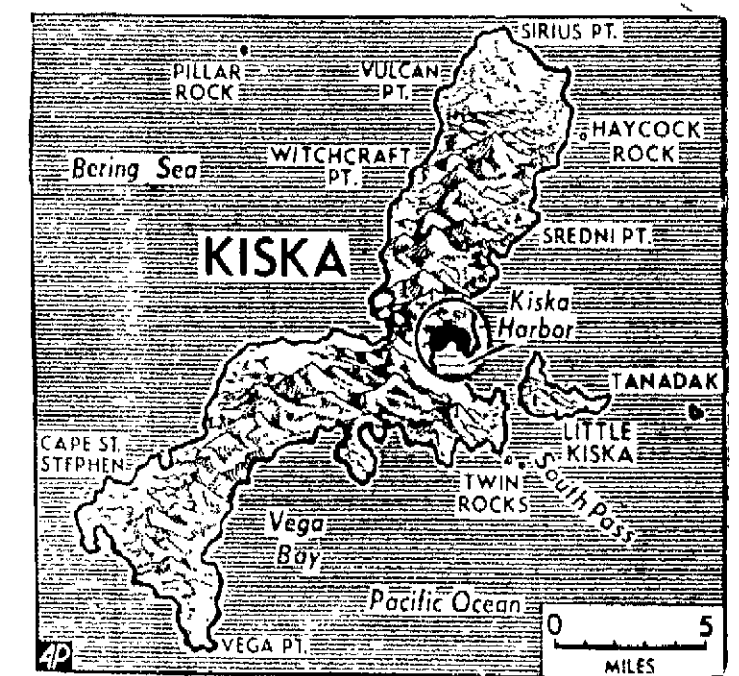
If Italy is a model of the shape of things to come, then long before our armies are established all over France, the Balkans, Norway and central Europe, the German power will have collapsed in these lands.

If that is what is going to happen, then our present political policy will produce anarchy. For we shall have neglected the development of provisional governments to which we give provisional but strong support.

In order to carry the war to its final phase against Germany, dare we, with the Italian experience before us, pull down rather than build up the authority of those who, in the immediate future, may be indispensable in setting up provisional governments in the suddenly liberated nations?

Are we not inviting that very anarchy and civil war which we all hope to avoid?

Kiska: Rocky Road To Tokyo



Main Japanese Installations Are Shown in Circle

Associated Press Features

Kiska, consistently bombarded by Allied air power during the last two months of Japanese occupation and perhaps the next step on the road to Tokyo, is chiefly important because of its two harbors—large Kiska Harbor and the smaller Gertrude Cove. Both are suitable for submarine bases and seaplanes. The main Japanese installations are reported to be located at Kiska Harbor. A landing at Gertrude Cove would make it necessary for an attacking army to take narrow passes and surmount a range of high hills.

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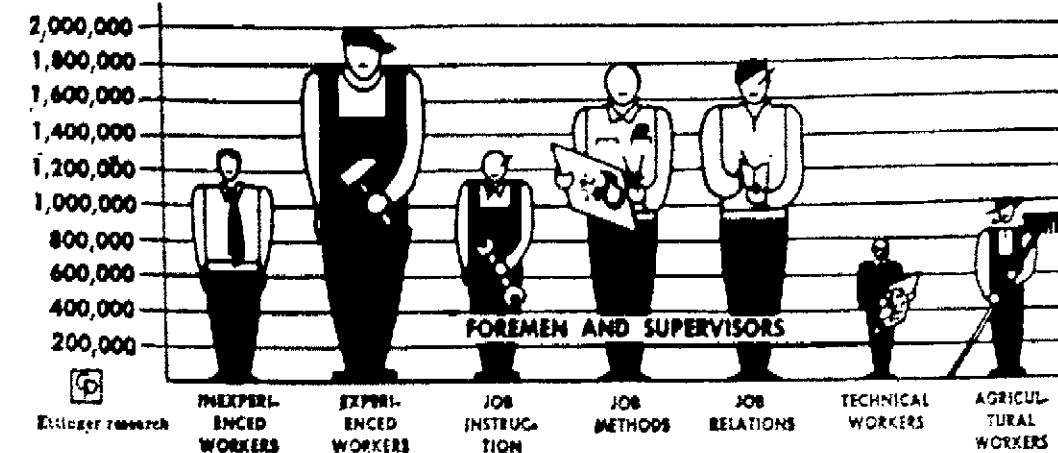
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U. S. TO TRAIN 10,000,000 WORKERS



The ambitious program of War Manpower Commissioner Paul McNair is to train 10,000,000 workers for war industry and agriculture between now and July 1, 1944. This is the estimate made by the coming year as forecast by the commission's bureau of training. The figure does not represent new workers entirely. Many employed workers will receive supplementary training to fit them for better jobs, others will be trained as supervisors and foremen in the categories of job instruction, job methods and job relations. A total of 1,300,000 inexperienced persons will be given pre-employment training, 800,000 will take courses in professional and technical work and 1,000,000 will be given agricultural training. As a comparison, 275,000 agricultural workers were trained in 1942, through 500 public agricultural school training centers.

Mechanized War: Right Up Our Alley

Internal Combustion and Flight "Made Simple."

ROSIE the Rover, Wanda the Welder, Mack the Macintosh and Larry the Lather get a break in another of the new booklets aimed at letting war workers know what they are doing to speed victory for our side. This one is about airplanes.

What goes on beneath the hood of an automobile is as mysterious to most drivers as the whereabouts of Mussolini, but an automobile engine is child's play compared to modern airplane engines. However, this is a condition destined in the near future to be revolutionized. After the war an airplane may be parked in every one's garage, maybe two airplanes.

To assist Rosie, Wanda and the average man up to the first rung in the ladder toward understanding what makes an airplane tick, General Motors Corp. has published "Airplane Power" with special reference to engines and altitudes.

Simplifying intricate aeronautical engineering problems in admirable fashion, the booklet nonetheless is struggling with a subject which is beclouded to anyone whose closest association with aircraft is the fence at an airport. The publication touches only on the A. B. C.'s of airplane engines. The disinterested reader may still say, "It's all Greek to me."

Examples of this are: "The tip speed of an airplane propeller must be kept below the speed of sound, which incidentally accounts for the fact that a bullet does not need a streamlined tail."

General Motors undoubtedly welcomes suggestions for efficiency from its employees, but when it comes to the finer points of physics and airplane design, most employees who think they have a brand new idea probably find out they are about the unworkable principle. The booklet should do much to forestall workers at General Motors asking foremen difficult questions.

The booklet describes the propeller tip speed limitation thus: "When any object reaches the speed of sound—about 750 miles per hour—there is an enormous and sudden increase in drag. The air fails to follow the usual laws that govern its behavior. The pressure generated at the fore-

ward point cannot get out of the way and so must be carried bodily along by the power of the moving object. Furthermore, the air will no longer close in at the rear end of the object which incidentally accounts for the fact that a bullet does not need a streamlined tail."

This explanation is contained in an appendix "Interesting Facts and Definitions," which is one of the most valuable features of the publication.

2—LAST—MECHANIZED War HALP of the book is devoted to describing principles underlying the use of superchargers. Following a discussion of airplane motors lacking enough air in high altitudes for proper combustion and power production, this description of the purpose of a supercharger is given: "Next we come to the possibility of boosting the power by increasing the density of the air before it is supplied to the cylinders. In other words, if instead of using the outside air just as it is, we could compress it to a greater density, we would then be able to get more of it into the cylinders, thus providing greater power without increasing the size of the engine and without having to run it at undesirable speeds. This can be accomplished through the use of a blower mechanism or pressure fan connected with the fuel intake system. Such a mechanism is called a supercharger."

That is simple enough, but from here on, the aeronautical engineers who supplied the information for the booklet pour it on.

Among reasons why the supercharger principle cannot be carried on to infinity until a plane is built which can fly to the sun are: Compressing the air raises its temperature, which makes it difficult to handle and increases the work of compressing it; engines work better on cool mixtures and when a mixture gets too hot disorderly combustion results which might seriously injure the engine; engines must be designed to withstand the higher stresses resulting from the extra power; energy expended in running the supercharger detracts from the total power produced by the engine; the bigger and heavier the engine and supercharger the bigger and heavier the airplane must be. So it goes.

To these problems add those of designing airplanes for specific tasks, such as those built for trainers, carriers, observation, bombers and fighters, with necessary variations in the design of each to suit the altitude at which it will operate, the speed required and the load it will carry. Then you really have yourself a job.

The delicate balance between possible victory or defeat for a nation—for that matter the United Nations is nicely put in a discussion of four hypothetical fighter planes. Words come in that an enemy bomber is 90 miles away and heading for a city. Rates of climb of the four planes to 25,000 feet are, respectively, 6, 8, 11 and 15 minutes. The first three would get to the bomber before it reached the city, but the two slower fighter planes would not have as much time to attack as the fastest one. However, they

From News of Other Years

TEN YEARS AGO.

It was Thursday, Aug. 3, 1933. Safety Director Emory Murphy announced closing of Marion's relief commissary through which hundreds of tons of food had been distributed since its establishment 11 months previously. The action was in compliance with a plan of the federal government in cooperation with state relief officials.

It was announced by Postmaster French Crow that 387 Marion employers had filed certificates stating that they had complied with the President's national recovery act agreement. Simultaneously it was announced in Cleveland that willful violators of the NRA would be prosecuted.

Marion was awarded the thirty-seventh annual convention of the Ohio association of Insurance Agents to be held Aug. 23-24.

D. J. Finley, a member of the utility committee of the Oakland Boosters club, told the club membership his committee in the next few days would take steps to interest the federal government in financing construction of a municipally-owned water plant for Marion.

TWENTY YEARS AGO.

It was Friday, Aug. 3, 1923. Arrangements were made for holding funeral services for President Harding in Marion on Saturday morning, Aug. 11.

Calvin Coolidge became president of the United States when his father, John C. Coolidge, administered the oath of office at an early morning hour in a dimly lighted room in the old Coolidge homestead in the Vermont hills.

At a citizens' meeting held in the courthouse the Marion Civic association was reorganized to take charge of all local arrangements in connection with the funeral services of President Harding. The Civic association had first been organized in 1920 for the purpose of caring for visitors here during the presidential campaign.

Hoke Donithen then was elected chairman of the association.

The C. D. M. Ladies club was entertained by Mrs. Emmett Morrow at her home on West Columbia street.

"Honey, this is Mr. Bickell. Mr. Bickell will take you to the movies, while I'm gone."

Veterans' Benefits

Some Laws Covering Soldiers of World War I Do Not Cover Successors in This Conflict.

By DAMON RUNYON

I STAND corrected. In a recent column I wrote "The veterans of World War I are under the same laws and regulations as the veterans of World War II."

That is wrong. Insurance benefits to the veterans of World War I are as far apart as from here to there from the insurance carried by the soldiers of World War II. The laws covering the veterans of World War I are not the same as the laws covering the veterans of World War II.

The insured could name any one he pleased as beneficiary, regardless of whether he was a soldier or sailor of World War I. The insured could name any one he pleased as beneficiary, regardless of whether he was a soldier or sailor of World War I.

National service life insurance as carried by the soldiers and sailors of World War I is not the same as the national service life insurance carried by the soldiers and sailors of World War II.

Until approval has been made monthly payments must be paid, or the policy will lapse after 30 days. These policies can name any one person—blood relatives—as the beneficiary in event of death or can name a person named in loco parentis (in place of parents) or less than one year prior to the veteran's death entered the service.

Now let me give you a concrete example of the way this thing works out.

RECENTLY at a hospital in Chicago there were two men of World War II, both totally disabled. One was a Japanese, the other was a German. The Japanese was the son of a Japanese man who was drawing his insurance, while the German was the son of a German man who was drawing his insurance. The Japanese man would receive \$5.75 for each \$1,000 of government insurance in force at the time he was discharged.

You will see there is a very great difference in the two forms of insurance. I see to me it represents a considerable injustice to the veterans of World War II. I do not know just how I fell into the error of saying the veterans of both wars come under the same regulations but I was speedily caught up by several readers, including Lyman J. Zimmer, national service officer of the Disabled American Veterans of the department of Illinois, with headquarters in Chicago.

Mr. Zimmer has been appearing for years on behalf of claimants before the veterans administration under government authorizations, and mentions several other differences in the measures applying to the veterans of the two wars though in many instances they are similar.

FOR purposes of compensation, meaning abilities due to wartime service, for World War I, benefits are granted by what Mr. Zimmer describes as Public 2, Sections 1-11. It deals with wartime and peacetime disabilities and here they apply to all veterans alike.

This is because benefits granted World War veterans were made possible by Public 359, set up the entitlements for each class of veterans and caused ratings under this act to be made under Sections I and II of Public 11, thereby applying the 1933 rating schedule. This group did not come under Public 141, which required modifications of the old section 200 and was for application the 1925 rating schedule, as Mr. Zimmer says is more liberal in most instances than the 1933 schedule.

In addition to Public 141, benefits to World War I vets are contained in Public 196, Public 198, Public 844 and others which are not granted to veterans of World War II and Section II of Public 2 also grants benefits to the former and not the latter. This is a pension where the veteran is totally disabled but not totally from service connected disabilities.

In short, it would appear there still remains things to be done for the veterans of the present conflict.

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Cotton Corners

By TRUMAN TWILL

Dear Nephew: I was reading in the paper today how the rollback on restaurant prices New York City to the level of the first year of last April has relieved the customers of the city.

This is the kind of news that makes patriots on this side of the mountains pat with sympathetic vibrations. There are a few when I almost twitch. Sometime I must go to this Storck club and convey my sympathy to the under OPA must have inflicted.

Under the rollback, the customers would pay 30 cents a cup for coffee any more than 35, a net saving of 30 per cent. I presume this must be a pretty good sized cup of coffee. There has been a similar reduction in price of hot chocolate, but I would not be interested in that because I do not like chocolate.

A side dish of string beans at the club slumped from 60 to 45 cents, which is what my aunt and I used to get for our de luxe luncheon meal with meat, potatoes, bread and butter, beverage, two side dishes and free coffee just before we dropped out of the eating place to make a war boom fortune by putting our work at the new arsenal. I can readily understand that for a meal like that today I could get the stuff, we would have to pay considerably more, but kiddo wouldn't I sell off my string bean crop at 45 per cent small crop?

This New York price thing has brought my days whenever I came across it. Under the new law, I'm prejudiced, but I insist there's something funny about a situation where some New Yorkers pay as much rent for a few rooms as a family in this part of the country to the whole house outright. I like to brood on this when the big brains start talking about the value of the American dollar, cost of production and so on and so forth.

Part of this country's cost of production is set up in New York City that takes less cost out here in the barefoot belt to the inflation that is the pride and joy of the denizens of Suckerville on the Hudson. I still use dollar bills out here to cover my small crop.

Best regards anyway and be sure to drop a few days on your vacation if you are at the gas. Cotton Corners. Uncle George.

The same drivers who said they would go to 10 miles to the gallon when they got extra gasoline suddenly find they can get 20 miles in order to make a vacation in New York rationing office.

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SALES TAX FOR WAR FUNDS STILL URGED

The Associated Press
WASHINGTON, Aug. 3—Chairman (D-N.C.) of the Senate Finance Committee today means to push through the Senate a bill to increase the sales tax on goods and services as a source of funds for the war effort.

The bill would increase the tax from one to two percent on all sales of goods and services, except those for food, clothing, medicine, and other necessities.

The bill also would increase the tax on luxury goods and services, such as automobiles, yachts, and expensive homes.

The bill is expected to pass the Senate in the near future.



ITALIAN KING WITH BADOGLIO. This picture, sent by radio to New York from Rome, was described by Bern as having appeared on the cover of the Italian picture magazine Novella di Milano, showing King Vittorio Emanuele of Italy (second from right) and Marshal Pietro Badoglio (right) reviewing troops following Badoglio's appointment as "head of a military government with full powers."

Allies Advance in Sicily

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The Eighth Army was announced by Churchill in his house of commons talk.

Churchill Announces Gains

"The 78th Division has captured Canicatt after some very bitter fighting in the streets," the Prime Minister said. "The 51st division is making progress on their right. To the left the Canadians have captured Regalbuto, where opposition was particularly fierce. Further north, the American Seventh Army are reported to have entered Troina yesterday evening."

The mighty ground offensive was accompanied by fresh aerial blows at Naples railway communications and the existing Messina bridgehead. Six enemy aircraft were destroyed and seven allied planes failed to return.

Stiff Resistance

Headquarters reported stiffening of enemy resistance continued all along the Sicilian front, but our troops, fighting hard, are forcing their way through rugged and roadless country.

Eighth Army gunners reported they had out-shot the Germans in artillery duelling along the coast south of Catania.

"Pushing north from Ramacca (20 miles southwest of Catania), we have entered the western end of the plain of Catania," the communiqué said.

Further west our advance from Raddusa (28 miles west of Catania) continues in spite of strong enemy resistance. A substantial bridgehead north of the Dattino (which flows between Raddusa and Catania) has been established.

"After an advance through most difficult country, with much fierce fighting, our troops gained positions overlooking Agira (32 miles northwest of Catania and 25 miles south of coastal San Stefano, newly captured by the Americans.)"

In furious fighting yesterday the American Seventh Army

CIVILIANS TO GET MORE WOOL FABRICS

The Associated Press
WASHINGTON, Aug. 3—Barnard Messersmith, military demobilization officer, can expect increased quantities of wool fabrics, but with some of the pre-war variety.

Wool manufacturers, the war production board reported today, are working to step up production of staple items. It's part of the WPB aim to make clothes-renting unnecessary.

Apparel wool output for civilians is running at an annual rate of 240,000,000 yards, about the same as last year. To increase the variety of colors and counts of the yarns. This results in larger lots of one material.

Raw wool, no longer on the ration list, is described as in sufficient supply to meet all military and civilian demands, and it is chiefly a question of making the wool available. The government has a stockpile of 700,000,000 pounds of wool.

LEWIS TO GO BEFORE WAR LABOR BOARD

The Associated Press
WASHINGTON, Aug. 3—John Lewis was booked for a personal appearance today before the War Labor Board to plead the United Mine Workers' case for a lower wartime pay cap.

The union president, who allegedly ignored or defied the board for nearly five months, submitted an appeal on an agreement with the United Coal Operators association which provides for portable pay of \$1.25 a day and an extra hour's production work for a half rate. Together they would amount to \$2.75 or more a day, the concessions granted previously by the WLB—far more than the union would be willing to accept.

Lewis' about-face offer to appear followed enactment of the new wartime pay law which gave the WLB subpoena power.

The miners offered the Illinois board a "model" that could be applied to the entire soft coal industry, which has had three years of wage dispute.

President Roosevelt took the miners' offer and put Interior Secretary Harold I. Smith in charge of conducting the war of the coal industry.

Lewis' appeal to the board was expected to be heard today.

CO. H Presentation Scheduled Tonight

The attendance ribbons will be presented tonight to 19 qualifying members of Co. H at approximately 8 p. m., according to an announcement by the officers tonight.

The awards are expected to be presented by the regimental officers and the ceremony will be held on the Harding High school lawn if the weather permits. In case of rain the presentation will be in the Armory.

In addition to the ceremony the training period will include a formal inspection, manual of the bayonet by Cpl. Lloyd Turner and special operation instruction by Cpl. Albert Ward.

The week's recruiting drive ended last night with five new enlistments: Privates Wilbur V. Postle, Francis E. Hindman, Albert R. Armstrong, Carl R. Rockhold and Donald F. Trimmer.

3 Ohioans on New Navy Casualty List

The Associated Press
WASHINGTON, Aug. 3—The Navy announced today 71 casualties.

This brings to 27,713 the total of Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard casualties reported to next of kin since Dec. 7, 1941. The grand total includes 8,831 dead, 4,865 wounded and 9,842 missing and 4,168 prisoners of war.

The Ohio casualties announced today (those listed are Navy and non-commissioned personnel unless otherwise specified):

William Joseph Connelly, missing, Cincinnati.

Joseph James De Bernardino, missing, Mingo Junction.

Howard Schroeder, missing, Dayton.

ANSWERS DIES.

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TO VISIT CONVENTION

The Associated Press
COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 3—Gov. John W. Bricker said today he would attend the annual convention of the Ohio Department of the American Legion in Cincinnati next week.

Crises on All War Fronts Point To Early European Showdown

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

Fast moving crises on all fronts combine to give the impression of a Europe which is rushing headlong for the show-down—not that the end necessarily is imminent but that the final phase of Armageddon is close at hand.

Italian Marshal Badoglio's delay in dealing with the Allied demand for surrender is reported to have given Hitler the opportunity to establish a line of perhaps a quarter million German troops right across northern Italy as a buttress against an Allied drive from the south. The Nazis also are said to have occupied the great port of the Trieste at the head of the Adriatic, thus closing one important gateway to the Balkans.

It isn't clear whether Badoglio committed at this, or whether he was forced into it unwillingly by threats of reprisals against the Italian population by the Nazi war lord. However, that's muddy water over the dam. Of more immediate concern is the fact that the allies have a large problem on their hands, assuming that the reports of German troop movements are accurate.

Purely on Defensive

The fuhrer's move is, of course, purely defensive. He expects the United Nations to overrun the lower two-thirds of the Italian peninsula. However, that no longer is useful to him and he probably doesn't intend to offer much opposition until the enemy reaches his first line of defense, which Madrid reports may be anchored at the naval base of La Spezia on the west coast and run eastward to the Adriatic. That would be about 200 miles north of Rome.

Hitler's main line will be a hundred miles farther north, taking advantage of the strategic fortifications along the river Po. Here he will dispute the allied rights of way to France, Germany or the Balkans.

If you will glance at your maps you will see that a magnificent defensive line the Po affords. We expect fierce fighting here, unless there's a great change in the picture as it appears now.

The purpose of the Nazi chief's move is to stand the allies off while he makes final preparations to defend his so-called inner fortress, into which he will retire if the pressure continues as at present. This is the circle within which he proposes to make his last-ditch stand to safeguard the reich and such of the occupied territories as he thinks he can hang onto.

Hoping for Stalemate

With this concentration of power, and a vast shortening of his now interminable communications, he will battle to force a stalemate.

The all highest's plan is a scheme of desperation. This is emphasized today as the Anglo-American forces race for the coup de grace in Sicily, as the amazing Russians continue their slaughter of Nazis in the fierce Orel offensive, and as the allied bombers deal crushing blows to great German cities while fear spreads throughout the reich.

British Foreign Secretary Eden yesterday handed Hitler a grim reminder of the Nazi position by quoting the fuhrer's own words of January 30, 1939:

"As regards national Socialist Germany, she is well aware of the fate that will befall her if ever an international force, whatever its motives, succeeds in overwhelming Fascist Italy."

But in Germany the fate of Italy has been pushed into the background by the terrors of the round-the-clock bombing to which the reich is being subjected. Daily it becomes more apparent that this rain of death and destruction is playing a major role—perhaps the major role—in forcing Hitler to his knees. We have now reached the point of

County Board Drops Wage Rate Program

The farm wage board of Marion county held a second hearing on wage rates and custom rates in the courtroom of the courthouse last night. A smaller group attended this hearing than the one held July 9. Arthur Smith, county agricultural agent, reported today. There were no representatives of farm labor present and since so little interest has been shown at these two hearings, the farm wage board is recommending that no prevailing wage rates or custom rates be recommended for Marion county. Mr. Smith announced.

Reds Tighten Noose on Orel

The Associated Press
LONDON, Aug. 3—Soviet troops are edging closer to encirclement of Orel on the central Russian front, Moscow broadcasts indicated today, announcing the capture of 70 more villages in fierce fighting in which the Red army was said to have slain 2,500 Germans and destroyed many Nazi tanks.

The Soviet midnight communiqué said the Red army, closing in from the east, south, southwest, north and northwest, had advanced from four to seven miles on all fronts but did not indicate how close its forces were to the besieged city.

Report City Entered

A Berlin radio broadcast recorded by Reuters and several London morning newspapers indicated the Russian army had entered the city itself. The broadcast said the Russians were "attacking with great violence, especially in the southern part of the town" of Orel, but declared that German resistance had enabled the Nazi command to "erect new defenses which will stand up to all future Soviet attacks." "In the disengagement movements which have been carried out, certain territory had to be given up, but nothing fell into Soviet hands undamaged," the radio added.

The broadcast suggested the Germans were trying to prepare the home front for possible loss of the base.

Red Air Force Strong

The attack was proceeding with strong support from the Red air force. The communiqué said Russian planes had strafed and destroyed 200 German trucks as well as blowing up several ammunition dumps. In aerial combat Soviet airmen were reported to have destroyed 54 German planes. Another 12 were shot down by anti-aircraft batteries.

There also was heavy fighting in the vicinity of Voroshilovgrad in the Donets basin, the communiqué reported, as German troops continued to pound vainly at the Russian defenses both with infantry and armored units. In two sectors, the Russians said, they smashed 58 tanks and killed more than 2,000 Nazi troops.

MRS. VANCE

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which authorities believe was taken the tape for the splice was also found in Mrs. Vance's room.

A revolver box was found in her bureau drawer. The box was described by Chief Marks and Prosecutor Reed as being old, possibly indicating that the weapon with which Mrs. Vance shot herself was not obtained immediately before the shooting. The gun she used was a .38 calibre five-shot revolver, police said.

Shells Found

About a dozen shells were found inside the box. An empty cartridge was found on top of the bureau and officials believe it to be the one missing from the chamber of the gun when it was found in Mrs. Vance's possession. An inspection of the gun immediately following the finding of Mrs. Vance showed that four chambers of the five-shot weapon were filled and that two of the cartridges had been discharged.

A flashlight was found in the middle of Mrs. Vance's bed. Because of its position on the bed authorities believe the flashlight was used shortly before the shooting and explosion. Another flashlight was found in the kitchen and it is believed that it was possibly being used when the tubing was spliced together.

After the inspection of the house was made the three officers questioned neighbors of the couple. It was learned that the couple had little in common. They were rarely seen together. Mr. Vance was interested in Red Cross work and the operation of the Civilian Defense organization, while Mrs. Vance was a musical enthusiast. She was a member of the Marion Lecture-Recital club and at one time was one of the key members of the First Presbyterian church choir. At the time of her husband's death she conducted classes in piano instruction and had more than 20 pupils each week.

For the last three years the couple had been having domestic differences, authorities said.

BRITISH SINK 2 U-BOATS

The Associated Press
LONDON, Aug. 3—British warships and planes sank two of a force of between 25 and 30 U-boats trying to intercept a big Allied convoy and probably destroyed another, a British communiqué announced today. So successful was the British defense that the great force of U-boats was unable to launch a single attack, the admiralty said. The action occurred some weeks ago.



ALLIES OPEN NEW OFFENSIVE

ALLIED armies have launched a strong offensive to crush the axis remnants in Sicily, it was disclosed officially today. The Americans are smashing hard at the Nazi right wing while the British Eighth army is reported making a push against German forces in the north.

NEWS FROM OUR BOYS

Pfc. Everett M. Sanderson of 273 Clover avenue has been assigned to Ohio State university for a special training course, according to word received from the university.

Pvt. Dominic J. Sansotta of 882 Davis street has been sent from the reception center at Fort Thomas, Ky., to the replacement training center at Fort Knox, Ky., according to a report from Ft. Thomas.

Harold L. Baker and James W. Richards of Marion have been sent to Camp Claiborne, La., for their basic training, according to information received from reception center, Ft. Thomas, Ky.

Pvt. Donald R. "Bud" Walter has returned to Ft. Rustis, Va., after spending a seven-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elva Walter of Nye street. He recently graduated from a radar school at Ft. Rustis, and upon his return will be transferred to another station.

Mrs. Robert Higgins of 247 Clinton street has received word that her husband, Robert Higgins, is at Great Lakes Naval training station at Great Lakes, Ill. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Higgins of 1011 Bennett street. Before enlisting he was a machinist at the Marion Steam Shovel Co.

Mr. and Mrs. David H. Smith of the Richmond road have received word that their son, Carl Edwin Smith, has been promoted to first class. Mr. Smith told his parents that he was confined in a naval mobile hospital at present but that his condition was not serious and he would soon be back on active duty. A brother, Earl Smith, fireman third class, has been stationed in Maryland for Diesel training.

The medal of Markman in rifle shooting is being worn by Sgt. Perry C. Myers, son of Charles P. Myers of Edison, because of his accuracy on the range at the West Coast Ordnance Training Center. This information was received from the public relations office of Camp Santa Anita in Arcadia, Calif., where Sgt. Myers is stationed. Sgt. Myers is a former student of Edison High school.

Pfc. Paul E. Leffler is training with the new "Lion" division, the 106th Infantry, at Ft. Jackson, S. C., according to word from there. Before entering the service, Pfc. Leffler was an employee of the Curtis Wright Aircraft corporation.

Donald J. Seebach, 20, husband of Mrs. Mary J. Seebach of 709 Henry street, has been enrolled in the Naval training school for electricians at the Naval Academy in Annapolis, Md., where Sgt. Myers is stationed. Sgt. Myers is a former student of Edison High school.

Cpl. Willard M. Rinnert has been assigned to his former place of employment, Wright Field, Dayton, O., after receiving a diploma following completion of a special engineering course at Boeing Field, Seattle, Wash. Cpl. and Mrs. Rinnert visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis (Timmer) of 319 Summit street Sunday. Prior to his induction in February, he was employed in the engineering department at Wright Field.

Mrs. Guy V. Manley of 208 Bellevue avenue has returned after spending a week with her son, Pfc. George H. Manley, at Camp Forrest, Tenn.

Mrs. Viola Hardin of LaRue has received word from her son, Henry M. Hardin, that he was graduated from the Air Force Technical school for airplane mechanics at the Lincoln Air base, Lincoln, Neb., July 10. He has been promoted to corporal and transferred to Chanute Field, Rantoul, Ill., where he will train to become instrument specialist.

Pvt. Dick Leonard is spending a 10-day furlough with his wife at 132 McWilliams court, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Leonard of Mr. Vernon. He is with a coast artillery division, stationed at Ft. Hancock, N. J.

Pfc. William Scherzer has returned to Ft. Lewis, Wash., after a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Scherzer of Morral.

LA. and Mrs. George C. Peterson left last Thursday for Ft. Lewis, Wash., after spending a 15-day furlough with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Peterson of Edison and Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Rutherford of 400 Cherry street.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dune of Thaw avenue have received word that their son, Pfc. Richard Dune has arrived in England.

LA. Robert Dune has arrived from Camp Shelby, Miss., to spend a 15-day furlough with Mrs. Grace and their children at their home at 322 West Columbia street. He is a former member of Co. D, and before his transfer to Camp Shelby was stationed at Fort Benning, Ga., where he is

U. S. TO TURN OVER SHIPS TO BRITISH

By The Associated Press
LONDON, Aug. 3—Prime Minister Churchill told the house of commons today President Roosevelt had promised to turn over to Great Britain between 150 and 200 American-constructed ships on which work already has started.

A letter which the prime minister read in the house explained the process of handing over the ships which would be spread over a 10-month period.

Churchill also disclosed the Canadian government was making similar arrangements concerning ships built in Canada.

He told commons this would absorb the reserves of trained seafaring population and the resources of both the United States and Britain would be "economically and provisionally applied to the main purpose of the war."

Churchill said there was no financial arrangement.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll W. Davitt, son of 610 Pearl street have received word of the birth of a daughter in their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Davidson of Pittsburgh. The child was born Sunday in a hospital in that city.

A son was born in City hospital yesterday afternoon to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Carter of 132 Jefferson street.

A daughter was born yesterday afternoon in City hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lutz of 303 DuPont avenue.

A son was born yesterday afternoon in City hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Peacock of 321 Belmont street.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald McGraw of 321 North State street in City hospital yesterday.

Herbert Pictures Post-War Job

Work for Returning Veterans Essential, Attorney General Tells 500 at G. O. P. Outing.

"The main task of the United States as soon as the war is over is help police the world and to reorganize every community, each state and the nation so that the returning veterans will have jobs," Thomas J. Herbert, attorney general of Ohio told 500 persons at a Republican outing in Garfield park last night.

Speaking from his own experience, Mr. Herbert said, "Fighting men want work, not long-term unemployment payments upon returning home." Mr. Herbert served with the Army air forces during World War I.

"There will be jobs for the boys, too, if the government stops hamstringing industry with needless regulations and annoyances," he declared.

Annual Event

Mr. Herbert's address highlighted the "stockless steak fry" held by the Marion county Young Republican club. The event replaced the annual steak fry, which was canceled this year because of rationing.

Turning from the post-war outlook to the present political side, Attorney General Herbert said, "At the recent governors' conference in Columbus it was decided to strengthen local and state governments and to fight the constant encroachment of the federal government on state's rights. The federal government has tried to undermine the public in order to get them to lean on a strong federal government."

County Praised

He lauded Marion county for its all-out effort in the war. "I am sorry that I can not give you actual facts and figures on war production in this county. Because of regulations of the office of war information and the office of censorship they cannot be divulged. However, the people of Germany

Order Follows Harlem Riots Fatal to Five

By The Associated Press
NEW YORK, Aug. 3—Order returned to New York's Harlem today but authorities remained on the alert to prevent a possible recurrence of yesterday's rioting which left in its wake five persons dead, 443 injured, \$9,000,000 in property damage.

As 6,000 police and 1,500 members of the city patrol corps patrolled the streets only a few isolated disturbances were reported last night in the heavily populated Negro section.

READY TO MOVE?

By The Associated Press
LONDON, Aug. 3—Joachim von Ribbentrop, German foreign minister, is trying to swing a deal to gain possession of a villa in Switzerland, Sir William Davidson, member of parliament, declared today.

SAY U-BOAT BLOWS BEGUN

LONDON, Aug. 3—A DNB broadcast from Berlin today said German U-boats "have resumed their attacks on a large scale" after being equipped with "special machinery" necessary to escape enemy observation.

IT CAN BE DONE!

CARLISLE BARRACKS, PA.—The terrain on which American soldiers fought on Guadalcanal was often so steep that wounded men had to be brought down by means of a cable. Lt. Col. A. R. Thompson, U. S. Marine Corps doctor, related recently upon his return from the southwest Pacific. Improvisation was necessary to get wounded men back to medical stations," he explained.

GETS 1 TO 3 YEARS

George Byvester Vacker (above), pro-German propagandist, has been sentenced to serve one to five years for violation of the Foreign Agents Registration Act. The sentence was imposed by Judge Bolha J. Laws in the District Court. The defense counsel gave notice of appeal.

PILOTAGE COURSE

Fourteen Gallien candidates passed requirements and were accredited Red Cross instructor and swimming instructor after completing their training at the Marion County Fairgrounds. The group was headed by Carl Adams, Blossom, and Phyllis Eckstein, Marion. Other members of the group were Janet Kline, Marion; Mary Postle, Marion; Robert Sherry, Marion; and Ann H. Weber, Marion.

PILGRIM INN

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been taken over the management of the inn.

A lease has been signed by the inn with Ida I. and George Emerson of the Hillman road, who are representatives of the owners of the inn.

The Marion establishment is being sold to 20 the number of inn now in the city. The inn is being sold by the Hillman road, who are representatives of the owners of the inn.

The exterior and interior of the building would be repaired throughout. He also said that the inn would be partially repaired.

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St. Louis Brownies Tumble To Seventh Place As Senators Hand Them 5th Loss in Row

By The Associated Press

If Means, William Cox and Bucky Harris will step into the boundary closest to some such scenario to give their debate on just who is the "All American" pitcher, the meeting will take up the race and fall of the Brownies of St. Louis. Finally the fall.

For what has happened to the Brownies of late should happen to your mother-in-law. A couple of years ago, they zoomed into the American League's first division and were leading during the season.

Indians May Lay Claim To Boston's Sinker Pitch Artist

By The Associated Press

BOSTON, Aug. 3.—While the Cleveland front office announced its intention of claiming a 19-game winner from the Baltimore Orioles under a working agreement, the Indians returned to Boston today to end their eastern trip in a series finale with the Red Sox.

Second Place Tie

Mill's six-run win put Washington in a virtual second place tie with the Chicago White Sox in the American League, since James Joseph Dykes' Windy City warriors had a lot of the wind taken out of them in Philadelphia. There the Athletics put on a two-run rally in the eighth to take a 5-3 victory, which left the Nats only one percentage point out of the second slot. In the only other big league game today, Frankie Gustine singled home a ninth-inning marker to give the Pittsburgh Pirates a 5-4 win over the Boston Braves and move the Burs up to 1/2 game away from the St. Louis Cardinals in the National League parade.

The Brownies' five game losing streak isn't even the half of it. They've now blown 12 out of 16 since they hit fourth place on July 17.

Stephens' Bat Falls

The chief reason the Brownies have come apart is that Vern Stephens' bat has become a bouquet of sweet peas for Susie, for all the good it's done the Browns at the plate lately. In two weeks, his average has slided from .336 right down to .302.

But that's hardly the only ailment. In that 16-game flop, only three batters have managed to get the full nine innings.

For comic relief, however, yesterday's leading laugh came when Morris, the deposed manager of the Phillies, announced that, in his opinion, William (I used to play for Yale) Cox, the Phils' president, was "the All American Jerk." To which William replied that Bucky must have been looking in a mirror when he made the remark. Bucky, however, claims priorities. He said it first.

Riddle To Seek No. 15 Against Giants

CINCINNATI, Aug. 3.—The Cincinnati Reds finish up with the New York Giants today, already having won three of the four game series.

Elmer Riddle, sporting the best pitching record on the Reds staff, will be trying for his fifteenth victory. He will be opposed by Harry Feldman young right-hander, who has been shelled from the mound twice this season by the Reds.

Mel Ott, Giants manager, indicated he would be back in the lineup at right field. Ott benched himself last week for light hitting but Buster Maynard, who replaced him, has been no improvement.

SPORTS



ONCE RIVALS, NOW TEAMMATES. One-time rivals but now in the same school, Jack Wink of Wisconsin, Bill Daley of Minnesota, Elroy Hirsch of Wisconsin and Paul White of Michigan (l. to r.) make up a backfield as University of Michigan begins football practice.

Epworth Team Overcome, 7-6, by St. Mary; Greenwood Wins

Momentary confusion in the eighth inning led to the unexpected defeat last night of the Epworth Methodist by an aroused band of St. Mary Irish, 7 to 6, at Garfield park. In the other Sunday School league game last night, Greenwood overpowered itself at least a tie in the church loop by jumping all over Presbyterian, 23 to 6, at Lincoln park.

This loss was the first of the year for John Clark's victory-minded lineup. The Methodists, who could have taken the Sunday School league crown by beating the Saints last night, will have to wait another week to be proclaimed king-pin. Epworth now has nine wins and one defeat while second place St. Mary has won seven contests and lost three (all to Epworth).

The Methodists saw a five-run lead held at the three-inning mark be blown to the winds on some solid St. Mary slugging, and Epworth errors, both mental and physical.

The game, tied 6 to 6 at the conclusion of the regulation seven innings of play, went into one extra stanza, which was all that the alert Irish required.

The winning run was tallied in the first of the eighth by Don Moran, fleet catcher. It was an entirely unearned run, moreover. After Moran had singled, Paul Ring was fanned by Epworth pitcher Bob Virden. However, Gerald Partlow dropped the ball, which gave Moran enough leeway to break for second which he promptly did. Partlow slammed the ball down second sack way, or in the general direction. The ball went wild with second baseman Jack Smart finally retrieving it.

Partlow, in the meantime, without started talking with the ump. Moran dashed for third, which he rounded, and lit out for home plate. Smart threw the ball on a line to home but Partlow was the little man who wasn't there, consequently the ball went on its unabated course back to the stands. Moran pounced triumphantly on the plate.

Epworth scored two runs in the first inning and added three more in the second to go 5-up over the Saints. All of these runs, however, were unearned. A few errors by Saint fielders, some walks by Pitcher Berridge and four wild pitches by that gentleman all played important roles in totaling the five free runs.

In the fourth frame, a six-run affair, all 10 men faced Virden. Three singles, two doubles were lined out by St. Mary wood-swingers in this inning. Two baggers were made by Jim Lawler, Irish.

Kenton Team Winner of Hardin Co. Title

Special to The Star

KENTON, Aug. 3.—The Kenton Champion softball team today ruled as titlists of Hardin county, following week-end games that found Dunkirk defeating Dola, 5 to 0; Kenton winning from Ada, 4 to 3, in two extra innings with G. Keel and E. Moore of the Champions each smashing out home runs; and Kenton defeating Dunkirk, 1 to 0, in a pitcher's duel that ended only when Pitcher Grant Holyerss stole third base and home in the final inning of the title tilt. Holyerss gave up only six hits in the two games he hurled for Kenton against Ada and Dunkirk. Both Kenton and Dunkirk will enter the district competition at Lima late this month.

23 Building Permits Issued During July

Twenty-three building permits for construction estimated to cost \$2,660 were issued during July, records of Mrs. Mayme Gorton, city clerk, show. Eleven of the permits were for dwelling remodeling costing about \$1,140; eight for garage construction estimated at \$1,135; two for shed construction estimated at \$80, and two for factory repairs and building relocation at the Defiance Pressed Steel Co. Estimated cost for the last two permits was \$325.

MOVE WOUNDED BY AIR

MIDDLETOWN, Pa.—The Army Air Forces evacuated 18,000 sick and wounded men from the African theater alone, according to Gen. David Grant. On some days as many as 600 patients were moved, three times the number which can be carried by a hospital train on one trip.

The SCOREBOARD

Club	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	52	25	.678	0
Chicago	51	26	.664	1
Washington	50	27	.649	2
Pittsburgh	49	28	.636	3
Cleveland	48	29	.622	4
Boston	47	30	.608	5
St. Louis	46	31	.595	6
Philadelphia	45	32	.581	7

*Games behind leader.

Yesterday's Results
Washington 1, St. Louis 3, Philadelphia 5, Chicago 3.

Today's Games
Cleveland at Boston.
St. Louis at Washington, twilight night double-header.
Detroit at New York, two games.

Tomorrow's Games
No games scheduled.

Club	W	L	Pct.	GB
St. Louis	72	31	.692	0
Pittsburgh	68	35	.659	4
Brooklyn	65	38	.631	7
Indianapolis	64	39	.619	8
Chicago	64	40	.614	9
Philadelphia	64	41	.609	10
St. Paul	61	44	.581	13
New York	55	50	.520	19

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Pittsburgh 6, Boston 4.

Today's Games
Boston at Pittsburgh.
Brooklyn at St. Louis, night game.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
New York at Cincinnati.

Tomorrow's Games
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh, night game.
Only game scheduled.

Team	W	L	Pct.
Milwaukee	54	36	.600
Columbus	54	42	.565
Indianapolis	50	40	.556
Minneapolis	48	45	.514
Toledo	45	50	.474
Louisville	44	49	.473
St. Paul	42	54	.438
Kansas City	38	54	.413

Last Night's Results
No games scheduled.

Tonight's Games
Milwaukee at Toledo.
Kansas City at Columbus, two games.
St. Paul at Louisville.
Minneapolis at Indianapolis.

Major League Leaders

By The Associated Press

Team	W	L	Pct.
Batting—Mural, St. Louis, .340.			
Runs—Vaughan, Brooklyn, 50.			
Hits—Mural, St. Louis, 132.			
Home runs—Nicholson, Chicago, 15.			
Stolen bases—Vaughan, Brooklyn, 12.			
Pitching—Sewell, Pittsburgh, 17-2.			
Batting—Apppling, Chicago, .321.			
Runs—Vernon, Washington, 53.			
Runs batted in—Bitten, New York, 12.			
Hits—Wakefield, Detroit, 128.			
Home runs—Keller, New York, 15.			
Stolen bases—Moses, Chicago, 55.			
Pitching—Grove, Chicago, 10-1.			

HARDER BACK IN ACTION FOR TRIBE



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APPLING SETTING PACE IN AMERICAN LOOP HIT PARADE

Chisox Comeback Man Aims at Batting Championship

He Held 7 Years Ago

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Luke Appling, the Chicago White Sox "man who came back," is leading the American League hit parade today and aiming at the batting championship he held seven years ago.

The shortstop veteran tore opposing pitchers apart during the past week, thumping out 16 hits in 40 trips to the plate to boost his average 14 points all the way to .321, and replace Rodgie Dore, Wakefield of the Detroit Tigers in the No. 1 slot among the junior circuit hitters.

Wakefield fell off five points during the week to .321, for second place. Newcomers to the top ten clousters after the past week's wallowing were Nick Etten of the Yankees, Pete Fox of the Boston Red Sox and Wally Moses of the Chicago White Sox.

Stan Musial, the St. Louis Cardinals' "rhythm swinger," remained ten points in front of his nearest National League rival—Brooklyn Billy Herman—although he dropped six points during the week to .340—getting nine hits in 33 times at bat. Biggest surge of the week saw Arky Vaughan of the Dodgers climb from sixth place to a tie for third with .313.

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Tonight's other game matches Commercial Steel and the Waldo Dodgers in a non-count Industrial and Commercial league affair at Garfield park.

Starting time of both these contests will be 6:30 p. m.

Snatches of Sports

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr. Associated Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Rudy Colom, former Chicago Cardinals guards who was captured in Tunisia, has written his old employer from a German prison camp asking for cigarettes. But only one packet of 10 is permitted to send packages to war prisoners and the Army and the Red Cross don't tell outsiders the addresses of these relatives. So if the nearest of kin will get in touch with the Cards, maybe Rudy will get some smokes. Several of the "name" trotters won't race at Empire City unless the soft, sandy surface is removed from the track. Bill Cane is seeking permission to have it scraped before the Hambletonian.

Quote, Unquote — Frank Howard, Clemson college grid coach (upon viewing his squad of 35 players 17 years and under): "Trying to build a football team out of this bunch is going to be like trying to make a peach pie without peaches."

One-Minute Sports Page—Kerby Farrell, who has been first-basing for the Braves since Johnny McCarthy busted a leg, doubled as manager and bull pen pitcher of the Erie (Pa) Sailors last year. He could yank a pitcher and put himself in at the same time—and ran up a string of 18 scoreless innings doing it.

Today's Guest Star — Harry Sheer, Chicago Daily News: "Now Bucky Harris has two pointers from the City of Brotherly Love—a wrist watch and—a boot."

Dogged Dozen — Mike Casteel, U. of Arizona coach, has 12 players definitely lined up for his team next fall and says he can't decide whether to have two six-man teams or a regular eleven with a sub. All of Arizona's home games have been cancelled by the other teams, too, so Roy Drachman suggests that Mike should arrange "telegraphic" games—just like rifle meets. There'd be a hell of a lot of touchdowns," says Roy, "and that's what the crowd wants, so why not?"

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A. B. C. Reports Michigan Leads All States.

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Huber looked upon as an intangible object by its industrial league opponents, not having jumped from first place since the season began, may find itself bumped into second spot after tonight's game with the Marion Engineer Depot at Lincoln park.

At the present, Huber is knocked for top spot in the Industrial loop with Universal Under, each team having six wins and one loss. Each team has decided the other for its only series.

The Thrashers' pounded the Depot 13 to 2, in a first round game on New-hut hurling by "Fat" Mulnor. Engineer supporters, however, counter with the statement that the Depot squad did not possess the strong lineup for that game it now has.

The Engineers now anchor the Industrial loop with one victory and five defeats. The loop win was over General Excavator, 8 to 6, on July 22. The Depot has also trounced the Waldo Dodgers twice.

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New York is way down in nineteenth place, 1 to 2,500.

The Army has 1,247 alleys, the Navy 729, the Marine Corps 40, and the Coast Guard 11.

A survey by the Bureau of Economic Stabilization on sports finds that bowling has held up better than any other pastime, comparing the quotas of 1943 with that of 1941. The bowling score is 85 per cent.

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Kenton Team Winner of Hardin Co. Title

Special to The Star

KENTON, Aug. 3.—The Kenton Champion softball team today ruled as titlists of Hardin county, following week-end games that found Dunkirk defeating Dola, 5 to 0; Kenton winning from Ada, 4 to 3, in two extra innings with G. Keel and E. Moore of the Champions each smashing out home runs; and Kenton defeating Dunkirk, 1 to 0, in a pitcher's duel that ended only when Pitcher Grant Holyerss stole third base and home in the final inning of the title tilt. Holyerss gave up only six hits in the two games he hurled for Kenton against Ada and Dunkirk. Both Kenton and Dunkirk will enter the district competition at Lima late this month.

23 Building Permits Issued During July

Twenty-three building permits for construction estimated to cost \$2,660 were issued during July, records of Mrs. Mayme Gorton, city clerk, show. Eleven of the permits were for dwelling remodeling costing about \$1,140; eight for garage construction estimated at \$1,135; two for shed construction estimated at \$80, and two for factory repairs and building relocation at the Defiance Pressed Steel Co. Estimated cost for the last two permits was \$325.

MOVE WOUNDED BY AIR

MIDDLETOWN, Pa.—The Army Air Forces evacuated 18,000 sick and wounded men from the African theater alone, according to Gen. David Grant. On some days as many as 600 patients were moved, three times the number which can be carried by a hospital train on one trip.

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Nelson Apartments Prepared for Service As Marion Clinic

Building at 375 South Main Street Remodeled Under Supervision of New Owner, Dr. C. G. Smith.

The Nelson apartments located on Main street have been extensively remodeled in the past few months in preparation of the Marion clinic building which will be opened in the near future. The building, owned by Dr. C. G. Smith, is a practicing physician in Marion since the building was remodeled several months ago. The building is a two-story structure with a brick exterior and a modern interior. The building is located on the south side of the first floor of the building. The building is a two-story structure with a brick exterior and a modern interior. The building is located on the south side of the first floor of the building.

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Marion School Costs Rate Among Lowest in Ohio List

Marion is the first of a series of schools to be included in the Ohio school cost study. The study is being conducted by the Ohio State Department of Education. The study is being conducted by the Ohio State Department of Education. The study is being conducted by the Ohio State Department of Education.

The Marion City schools for a number of years, have had the questionable distinction of getting along on one of the lowest operating costs of any school of comparable size. This has been shown in regular reports based on studies by school officials and was again brought to the attention of the Marion City School Board by the Ohio State Department of Education.

Marion's per-pupil cost of operating the schools was \$82.74 in the 1941-42 term, next to the lowest in a list of nine Ohio city school systems of comparable size. The per-pupil expenditure of \$82.74 for instruction, representing the bulk of the total operating cost listed above, was second from the bottom of the nine-school list.

Marion's \$10.92 per pupil cost for plant operation was lowest among the nine schools. Plant maintenance costs of \$4.14 were exceeded by only three schools in the list, and that of this expense was charged to the condition of the school buildings here.

The amount spent for auxiliary agencies was \$1.15 per pupil, second lowest, while the amount for fixed charges was \$2.10 fourth lowest.

The Chamber report comments, "From the foregoing it must be concluded that the Marion City School Board expenditures have been considerably below the expenditures of other districts. Although the expenditures of the other districts cannot necessarily be regarded as a correct charge for the cost of education, nevertheless, the figures do show that the Marion City School Board is doing a very good job of operating its schools on a very low cost basis."

With job opportunities at their zenith, it is obvious that a majority of Marion teachers, if they so desired, could better themselves financially by taking other work. School figures show the average Marion teacher, on a 12-month basis, gets \$20.28 a week, and that principals and supervisors get only \$40.73.

School officials frankly admit they can't hope to compete with war-inflated industrial wages to hold instructors, but they emphasize that teachers as a whole do not expect such increases. Seeking a compromise between the two extremes of leaving salaries where they were and boosting them to present-day industrial job levels, the board of education early this year gave all employees a \$10-a-month salary boost.

In addition, it voted to give them \$15 a month additional beginning the first of next year to make a cost-of-living adjustment in salaries, if funds are available.

To do this will require the two-mill levy the board is submitting to the voters on Aug. 10.

BROTHER IN PRISON CAMP SENDS HOLIDAY GREETINGS

Belated Christmas Message Received by Marion Man.

Christmas greetings from his brother, a prisoner of war in Italy, were received yesterday by Robert Roush of 640 South Prospect street. The card, wishing Mr. Roush a "Merry Christmas and Happy New Year," was dated Dec. 4, and was from Nathan Roush, 26, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Roush of Steubenville.

Roush, who was taken prisoner in the Battle of Tunisia, has been in service since October, 1941 when he was inducted into the U. S. Infantry. A letter received by his parents told of his being taken prisoner shortly after Christmas and being flown to Italy in a German plane. The last letter received by his parents was dated Feb. 2, this year. Roush described his treatment as "fine." Robert Roush is pressroom foreman of The Marion Star.

GIRL SCOUTS GET AWARDS

Presentation Features Closing of 1943 Day Camp Season.

The Girl Scout 1943 day camp season closed Friday afternoon with a Councilwide Court of Awards held at the camp site of the Smeltzer road and displayed accomplishments proved to parents, leaders, and council members, who were guests, that the month-long session was a worthwhile one.

Besides the display of belts, bracelets, bookmarks, necklaces, letter openers, and other articles made at camp, the guests saw all the objects which had been fashioned by the girls for convenience and comfort. Among these were: stone fireplaces, shelves (made by lashing logs between trees), wash stands, log seats, clothes racks, waste paper containers, a bicycle rack, and a table.

Presentations Made

Badges awarded at the outdoor ceremony Friday afternoon included those earned at camp, although merit badges earned all through the year were presented. Most girls received slaps in lieu of actual badges, and in order that they may have their badges before school starts, a special exception to a scout rule will be observed. Ordinarily, badges can only be ordered through the leaders, but during the next two weeks they may be ordered through the Girl Scout office if girls desire. The badge slip and money for the badges must be presented, however, or the badges can not be ordered.

Receive Badges

The following girls received badges earned at camp: cyclist and campcraft badges, Billie Bonen, Doris Dowler, Lillis Flatman, Betty Lou Freed, Bonnie Kemmerly, Elizabeth Leeper, Jean Leffler, and Donna McLain; cyclist, Barbara Jordan; campcraft, Donna Ruth Bond, Ruth Elton Clutter, Jacqueline Creager, Ann Hewetson, Joan Mary, Dorothy Rhoads, and Nancy Zimmerman.

Troop Award List

The troop, where it is located, the badge earned, and names of the girls who earned them are listed below: Troop 4, Forest Lawn school, first aid, Virginia Augenstein, Gloria Jean Burnison, Betty Lou Cook, Carolyn Creager, Rae Fetter, Joyce Ann Layton, Ruth Joan Parrish, Marlene Peterson, Nancy Jill Pluchel, Janet Esther Reece, Virginia Rinnert, Veronice Ruth Stephens, Suzanne Terzo, Gwendolyn Treby and Ardeth Ann Walker; membership stars, Betty Cook and Joyce Ann Layton.

Troop 2, Wesley Methodist church, outdoor cook, pioneer and reader badges, Donna McLain.

Troop 17, Vernon Heights school, second class, Gladys Erow, Delores Mann and Delores Miller; child care (Mrs. E. T. Huber, instructor), Phyllis Askew, Evelyn Betz, Dorothy Chapman, Mary Gruber, Margaret Hamilton, Rose Marie Hinnamor, Ruth Knickel, Ann LaMarche, Marlene Lust, Rita Milley, Dorothy Rhoads, Marilyn Sekinger, Janet Ulmer, and Joan Williams.

Troop 18, Vernon Heights school, child care, Barbara Albert, Ann Hewetson, Joanne Rosenberg and Nancy Zimmerman; cyclist, Patricia Ackerman, Jacqueline Creager, Ann Hewetson, Ruby Lockridge, Theresa Maffett, Joanne Rosenberg, Mary Jane Williams and Nancy Zimmerman; clothing and bird finder, Lillis Flatman; dancer, Ann Hewetson and Nancy Zimmerman; flower finder, Lillis Flatman; gardener, Patricia Ackerman, Barbara Albert, Jacqueline Creager, Patty Lou Haruff, Ann Hewetson, Ruby Lockridge, Theresa Maffett, Angelina Millisor, Joanne Rosenberg, Mary Jane Williams and Nancy Zimmerman; handywoman, Nancy Zimmerman; hostess, Patricia Ackerman, Jacqueline Creager, Theresa Maffett and Mary Jane Williams; photography, Ann Hewetson, Lillis Flatman and Betty Lou Freed; reader, Jacqueline Creager, Ann Hewetson, Theresa Maffett and Nancy Zimmerman; star finder, Lillis Flatman; needlecraft, Jacqueline Creager, Ann Hewetson, Theresa Maffett, Mary Jane Williams and Nancy Zimmerman.

MAN BACK FROM AFRICA TALKS TO LIONS CLUB

Deputy State Auditor Tells of Experiences.

Bernard Sweeney of Russell Point, deputy state auditor and recent representative for the Douglas Aircraft Co. in Africa, was guest speaker Monday at the noon meeting of the Lions club at the hotel. He gave an account of his experiences in the convoy enroute to Africa and told of the people, their customs and everyday life and of his trip, by plane, to Syria. He also showed some films, which he had been permitted to bring back, of life around the camp and some historical scenes.

DR. E. L. BEAN DIES

By The Associated Press
Tiffin, O., Aug. 5.—Dr. Henry L. Bean, prominent member of English Bible at Heidelberg College, is dead at 76.

His Job Is Garden Guardian



VICTORY VIGILANTE—C. L. Frazier, armed with shotgun, takes his turn in the 24-hour patrol against garden vandals.

Associated Press Features

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—The victory garden vigilantes of suburban Warfield are ample proof that gardening these days is more than a convenient method of working off excess patriotism. They guard their food. The vigilantes are volunteers, from the 320 Warfield residents who saw their gardens washed out by spring floods, laboriously replanted, burned by a merciless sun, and finally ravaged by vandals who uprooted the produce of ten plots and trampled plants not yet bearing.

Park Registration Moves Up

Recreation Program Total Last Week Is Listed at 2,129, Highest Mark Since Opening Week.

Young and old Marionites, 2,129 of them, were counted at the four city recreation playgrounds last week, the seventh week of the recreation program. This number topped all other registrations for a single week since the program got under way June 7.

Another record, that of attendance at one park, was shattered last week when 738 participants were registered at Lincoln park. Lincoln has led all playgrounds during all but one week this summer. Last week was also the first time that any playground's attendance has gone over the 700 mark. Lincoln previously had 693.

The combined Oakland Heights and Marion Steam Shovel recreation unit also had a good week with 450 adults and children taking part. Not since the first week, when 450 were also registered, has attendance at the West Side playground hit such a high mark.

McKinley park had its third best week of the summer with a registration of 487. Garfield park attendance was not in accord with the upward trend of the other three playgrounds. Only 434 were signed up by Joe Petrich, Garfield director and his assistant, Miss Eloise Coffman.

Best Since Opening

You have to leaf the record book back to the first week of the program to find a total registration to even approximate last week's. During the initial week, whose attendance was swelled by park opening celebrations, registration was 2,100.

Saturday attendance, for the first time this year, also was up. At Lincoln park Saturday about 75 recreation participants were counted. At the Oakland playground around 60 were reported by Director Ralph Kelly. At the other two playgrounds, on the other hand, Saturday attendance was still practically nil.

Vic Dorris, city recreation supervisor, points to excellent weather and a better developed system of instruction and activities as the main causes of the big turnouts last week.

Dorris believes he has gotten results at the Oakland playground in the matter of stimulating waning attendance figures. After the first week of the program, registration at that unit dropped to low marks. The recreation supervisor, therefore, decided to spend some time at Oakland with Kelly in an attempt to remedy the low participation.

With the addition of football

FIRE PROTECTION AT GALION STUDIED

Special to The Star

GALION, Aug. 5.—Two study industrial fires within a month prompted a meeting here last week of Galion manufacturers with representatives of the Ohio Inspection Bureau, to discuss the municipal water supply and fire protection situation in Galion.

The discussion, which included a report by the bureau on Galion fire protection, conditions have placed the city in seventh class of ten fire protection classifications.

Headed by J. S. Boyd, vice president of the Galion Iron Works and Manufacturing Co., a committee was appointed to meet with Mayor William Amann to consider plans for the future. Other members of the committee are H. M. Freese, president of the E. M. Freese and Company, and Norman J. Schaefer, superintendent of the Central Ohio Steel Products Company. Representatives of the Ohio Inspection Bureau recommended obtaining an adequate source of water supply, improving the distribution system, and obtaining an elevated storage for from 400,000 to 500,000 gallons of water in the city, preferably on the east side.

Democrats Hear Candidate Talks

Talks were given by the candidates at a meeting of the Marion County Democratic club Monday night. Music was furnished by John Kessler and there was a business session.

Some Germs Sneer at Sulfa Medicine

By H. W. BLAKESLEE

Associated Press Science Editor
MINNEAPOLIS—The reason why some bacteria are almost immune to sulfa medicines has been discovered at the University of Minnesota Hospital and Medical School.

The resistant germs manufacture a B vitamin which nullifies the medicine. This nullifying vitamin is para amino benzoic acid, one of the B complex. The



findings are reported in Science by Wesley W. Spink and Jean Jeanette Vivino.

This resistance of some germs to sulfanilamide of any type has been both a puzzle and worry to doctors. Some human beings have failed to benefit from sulfa drugs which promptly cured other persons.

At first physicians suspected that some human beings are resistant to the action of sulfa drugs. That may still be true, but more and more varieties of germs are being found which resist sulfa, and possibly explain failure of human treatments. The annoying thing about these resistant germs is that they belong to the same families which sulfa drugs ordinarily destroy.

The Minnesota investigators have found the resistance to sulfa in more than a dozen strains of staphylococci, the bacteria which cause common food poisoning. They have discovered also that some of these resistant germs, after producing the vitamin, change it into a yellow-brown pigment.

Edward Williams Of Bucyrus Taken by Death

Special to The Star

BUCYRUS, Aug. 3.—Last rites will be held Wednesday at the Munz funeral home for Edward Williams, 59, Crawford Steel Foundry employee, who died in City hospital Monday. Burial will be made in Brinkenswood cemetery.

Finland Resolute in Spite Of Havoc Caused by 2-Year War

People Suffer in Resources and Manpower But Fight for What They Believe Is Way to Independence.

where they must depend on their own self reliance to combat the frigid winters to earn a livelihood.

Food Conditions Fair

No one is starving, and food conditions are better than in 1918, but the average family must rely principally on potatoes, fish and stock, bread except during the vegetable season. About 20,000 children have been sent to Sweden to get proper nourishment. The food problem is complicated by bad harvests since 1938.

The employment situation, aided by the scarcity of consumer goods, is leaving the stores with little need for manpower. Many establishments not only boarded their windows to protect the glass from bomb splinters but because they had nothing to display. The people spend most of their extra money on amusement, with American motion pictures being popular.

Most of the people have lost weight, but health generally is good, although tuberculosis is increasing and nervousness caused by air raids and alarms is resulting in more heart disease. Doctor O. S. K. Heikinainen, chief of the medical board reported fewer epidemics than in other war years. There has been an increase in crime.

Heikinainen said the care of invalids would be the biggest post-war medical problem. From the winter war there were 8,000 crippled men among the 47,000 wounded, the Red Cross reported. No official casualty figures will be released until after this war, but estimates place the dead at 50,000 and the wounded at 100,000.

During the winter war of 1939-40, 23,000 were killed and the Red Cross is busy caring for 7,000 war widows and 20,000 fatherless children.

Continues Show

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1-ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Persons To Attend
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ARE YOU SAVING WHITE FATS, THE
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MARION WINDOW CLEANERS
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SQUARE LAKE Thursday night
8 P. M. to 12 M. Wednesday
Nine miles south on Route 4.
Meet Your Friends
AT SQUARE LAKE
Harding Highway—three miles west
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WHITE SWAN TAVERN

Nine miles south on Route 4.
RIDE AT THE
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"The Home of the Six Horse Hitch"
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Summer at
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For Fun and
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Confidential, Personal Service
SAFETY CARS
2121—1941—1942
BUS Bonds with the money you
save by riding the bus.
29 Tickets \$1.

6-LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Small, dark haired white and
yellow dog. Answer to the name
of "Pat" in vicinity of Mar-
ion or Brown county, J. H.
Hicks, Route 1, Arcadia.
LOST—Marion diamond ring
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Lost in wash room of Hotel
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Call Manager, Hotel Harding,
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LOST—"A" gasoline ration book.
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FOUND—Truck tire and rim. Owner
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Lester Sparks, LaRue.
LOST—Pocketbook containing \$14
and change, also gas ration book.
Johnny Emboden, 322 Davis.
FOUND—Black and white cat, south-
east of Columbus.
Wilbur Ault.
TWO Bull dogs—two Collies, sev-
eral others.
Dial 8866. Marion Dog Shelter.
LOST—"B" gasoline ration book.
Robert Lehner.
REJUL, Marion, O.
LOST—Marion billfold, containing A
and B gas ration books, other
valuable papers. Reward, Homer
Bushatz, 155 Sharp St.
LOST—"B" gasoline ration book.
Arden Brown.
242 Owen.
LOST—Two No. 2 ration books.
Wm. A. Cook and Edith L. Cook.
353 E. Main.
LOST—Lady's small yellow gold
wrist watch in or near Ohio
theater. Call Hanley, Reward.
Dial 6222. 22 Summit.
FOUND—Gas station open 9 a. m.
to 9 p. m.
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LOST—July 29 in business district
—gold and blue enamel. H. A. V.
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7-HELP WANTED

8-MALE

WANTED—DECORATORS
Bids are now being taken
for redecoration of the Milner
Hotel, formerly Pilgrim
Hotel.

Wanted—Mechanic
Excellent opportunity
and future, light work
including motor tune-
up and brake work.
Top salary plus liberal
bonus. Apply
Goodyear Service
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TRUCK DRIVER
Wanted for
ICE DELIVERY ROUTE
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Hookers on
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Must Have Statement
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Wanted Dishwasher
Apply in Person
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Wanted
Dishwasher
Waitress
Apply at Smitty's Bar
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Who's Looking
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Marion firm, now lay-
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guaranteed future hold
any appeal for you,
just drop a line to Box
39, Marion Star, outlin-
ing your qualifications
and enclosing a recent
photograph.

10-MALE AND FEMALE

POLICY WRITER AND
FIRE CLERK in local in-
surance office. Previous ex-
perience not necessary if
you can type and take di-
rection. Box 25, Care of
Star.

BOY or man for farm work. Also
girl or woman for housework.
Glenn L. Runkle, Route 1, Mar-
ion, Ohio.

11-SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Care of children in my
home. Call after 5 p. m. at
18 Cleveland Ave.

WANTED—Sewing to do in my
home. Cheap.
111 Garden St.

12-Special Instructions

ENTER SUMMER SCHOOL
Monday, New classes now forming.
THE MARION BUSINESS COLLEGE
Dial 2257.

14-BUSINESS SERVICES

ELECTRIC WRECKER REPAIRING
Service any make wrecker.
1014 E. Church. Dial 3315.

Light Hauling of All Kinds
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822 Davis St. Dial 15802

COMPLETE typewriter and adding
machine service. Call Marion,
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ELECTRIC, Heating, Ventilation,
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SWEEPING, Repairs, Taxes, Brushes,
Belts, Parks, Work done in your
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WE inspect, adjust and repair any
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Laundry
Dry Cleaning
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All at one place
ANTHONY'S

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Elite Beauty Shop
Dial 2218. 123 E. Center.
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Garber, owner, manager and op-
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Shampoo and Set. 55¢
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RUTH D. WEIR, OPERATOR.
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125 E. Main. Dial 2922.
Open Evenings by Appointment.

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FOR defense workers and all busy
women the feather buff or
feather face permanent is your
answer. No pins. No fuss. Even-
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RUZZO BEAUTY SHOP
Next to Ohio Theater. Dial 2770.

JEAN ANN SHAW—747 Davis, will
be closed from July 31 until Aug.
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17-FEMALE

EXPERIENCED, dependable wait-
ress, over 21, trained at Ohio State
other need apply. Nober's Re-
saurant, 125 N. Main.

WOMAN to do general housework
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Pitfalls of Love

By Adele Garrison

DICKY gave me a twisted grin, although his eyes were still filled with anxiety.

"You're the world's most gifted cock-eyed liar," he said. "You're as scared as I am for you, and that's something. But take my blessing, and not alarm. But just one more thing, before I shove back into the chair—and you open the door."

He stopped, and when he began speaking again his words were packed with emphasis.

"Remember, I'm going to leave this door the least bit ajar, so that I can get to you in a hurry if I see that you're in any danger. If she does you, you know, I'll come up here to see a doctor. Tell her I asked you to leave the door unlocked, because I expected a nurse to send me up something to eat, and didn't want to get out of my chair to open the door. Tell her I'm pretty healthy, although I'm not so old."

Yarn Must Check

"We'll have to make that yarn check," he went on, obviously warming to his work. "So before you do anything else, nip in to one of those empty rooms, close the door and telephone room service, saying the gent in 1718 asked you to order some orange juice and toast and wait until he comes in as soon as possible."

Despite my anxiety, I had to smile at Dicky's face, which reflected utter distaste for the invalid fare he was ordering.

"When it's time to take the tray out, I'll bellow 'Maid' and you'll

better come, wouldn't he wait on. Then I'll tell you and you can tell her to get a nurse to come to one of the other rooms, that I have to call you, I won't have to get up from my chair or the bed. And I'll tell you again, never fear. In that way, I'll have a damn chance to check on what she's doing."

"You're sure she won't recognize your voice?" I asked doubtfully.

"Thank luck," he urged me. "When I believed at you that morning, would you have recognized my voice if you hadn't known who it was?"

Wouldn't Have Guessed

"No, I wouldn't," I told him with conviction.

"That's just in case," he said. "I may not be in your class as a Theophrastus, but I can manage to believe 'Maid' in a voice not recognizable as mine. And that's all the speech she'll hear from me. Now beat it, old dear!"

He kissed me again, hard, and then stepped behind the door while I opened it, springing the latch, leaving it ajar, and hurried out. Leaving my carpet sweeper, and other implements, in the room, I hurried to one of the extra rooms, where I gave Dicky's order to room service. When I had finished, the operator struck in:

"Aren't you the one who telephoned about switching that message to 1718?" she inquired.

"Yes, I am," I replied, screwing up my courage to hear whatever she might tell me, for it was evident that she had something important on her mind.

Ruth Gets Busy

"Then perhaps you'd like to know that 1720 has been busy on the hotel telephones ever since. She queried the desk to know if a friend of hers, Mrs. Graham, whom she said was expecting, had yet arrived. When she got 'no' for an answer she told them that Mrs. Graham might not give her own name, so she described her at length. She asked to have the desk call her when her friend came in, and to give her the number of the room assigned to Mrs. Graham. She explained that for certain reasons Mrs. Graham would not wish to call her until she called first.

"What did the desk tell her," I asked through dry lips.

"Told her they'd telephone her the minute any one answering her description registered."

"Oh, but they mustn't!" I gasped.

"Don't worry, they won't," the operator assured me. "She won't know anything she's not supposed to know, and that isn't okayed by the folks running this show. But I thought you'd like to know what she was up to."

"Indeed I do," I told her enthusiastically, "and I'm infinitely obliged to you. Is there anything else you think I ought to know?"

Asks for Dicky

"Yes," was the prompt reply. "She also asked to have one of the house dicks sent up to 1720, but they stalled her on that, saying they were all busy. Then she got hold of the bell captain, and promised him a good tip if he'd find out whether a woman answering the description gave had come into the hotel. I guess that's all, but I thought you ought to hear about it."

"Thank you so much," I said gratefully, and hanging up the receiver hurried out into the hall.

THE GARAGES CHICKENS

By International News Service

SIoux CITY, IA.—A successful "farm" is being operated almost in the heart of Sioux City's business district. The war pinched garage business and at the same time created a demand for more food. So C. E. Gaylor, operator of a six-story garage, went into the chicken business. He has approximately 6,000 White Leghorns ranging in age from a few days to two months on two floors of the garage. The chickens seem to thrive in their indoor quarters, Gaylor said, and put on weight as rapidly as those reared in farmyards.

READ THE WANT ADS

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Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle

1. Wealth.
2. Small wild ox.
3. Clip.
4. Open vessel.
5. Punctuation mark.
6. Improve.
7. Large plant.
8. Title of a knight.
9. By the side of.
10. Be grateful for.
11. Circular indentations.

YOUR HEALTH

By Logan Clendening, M. D.

Infections

THE TUBE which goes from the external meatus to the ear drum is a narrow, moist, pink test tube, closed at one end by the eardrum and open at the other. It is often called the ear canal, but it is not a canal in the sense of a pipe or tube. It is a narrow, moist, pink test tube, closed at one end by the eardrum and open at the other. It is often called the ear canal, but it is not a canal in the sense of a pipe or tube.

NEEDLEWORK PATTERN

Now I lay me down to sleep,
I pray thee, Lord, my soul to keep;
If I should die before I wake,
I pray thee, Lord, my soul to take;
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The Stars Say—

By Genevieve Kemble

For Wednesday, Aug. 6

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NEEDLEWORK PATTERN

Now I lay me down to sleep,
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Blondie

By Chic Young

THE WATER COMPANY WON'T AFGIT TODAY.

WHO WON?

NEITHER ONE OF US, IT'S A TIE.

WHAT DO YOU MEAN, A TIE?

THEY DON'T GET ANY MONEY.

AND WE DO GET ANY WATER.

Flash Gordon

SMALL CLING OUT FLASH!

THIS IS THE LAST PLACE THE ELVINS WOULD LOOK FOR ME, DALE.

NO WE WANT TO RESCUE TERA AND THE OTHER GIRL PRISONERS.

Tim Tyler

WHILE A CITY SLEEPS, A SPEEDING COAST PATROL CAR PURSUES A STRANGE VEHICLE. FINALLY—

GONE! TEN MILES OFFWARD CHASING AFTER THAT FOOL CAR, THEN WE HAVE TO LOSE IT—

TOUGH LUCK! ONLY THING WE CAN DO NOW IS HEAD BACK FOR—

Thimble Theater

POPEYE REFUSES TO GELL US THE SEA-DUST GRISTLE—I WANT YOU TO KILL POPEYE.

YOU CAN KILL ME FIRST! YOU HEAR HIM, GRISTLE?—HE WISHES TO BE KILLED FIRST.

ROUGH-HOUSE KIN! KEEP 'EM BUSY TILL PUTS THE SEADUST IN A SAFE PLACE.

DON'T WASTE MUCH TIME ON THAT ONE, GRISTLE.

Tillie the Toiler

WE CAN'T PRINT ANY WEDDING INVITATIONS THIS WEEK, THE ARMY GOT TWO OF OUR MEN.

SAY EVERY MINISTER IN TOWN HAS WEDDINGS FOR FRIDAY NIGHT.

YOU DON'T SAY!

TILLIE MR. SIMPKINS WILL BE AWAY FRIDAY NIGHT AND THE SHOW ARE PUTTING ON A SHOW.

GEE?

DON'T SAY YOU WANT AN AVAILABLE FRIDAY NIGHT. I REFUSE TO HAVE A WEDDING WITHOUT A GROOM.

Annie Rooney

HEY, ANNIE, WAKE UP!—YOU'RE FORGETTING ALL ABOUT OUR GAME.

WILLYA LOOK AT THAT BRAVE ROUSTABOUT SWEEPIN' OUT THE LION'S CAGE. AIN'T HE SCARED THE LION WILL EAT HIM?

COME ON, BOZO—SCRAM! BEFORE I SWEEP YOU OUT WITH THE REST OF THE RUBBISH—

DID YA HEAR HIM CALL KING HANNIBAL, BOZO?

WUH—EVERYBODY CALLS HIM BOZ. THAT'S CAUSE HE KNOWS HE'S A GENTLE, OLD CHOPPED-ME EATER—

By Darrell McClure

TOOTS AND CASPER

CASPER WHEN YOUR BOSS'S NIECE MOVES IN NEXT DOOR I MOVE OUT OF HERE—I'D FEEL LIKE SHE WAS PLANTED THERE TO SPY ON US.

THEY'LL KNOW EVERY TIME WE COME AND GO, THEY'LL KNOW WHEN WE HAVE COMPANY AND PARTIES AND EVERYTHING WE DO! I'M NOT COMFORTABLE HERE ANY MORE—

TOOTS, COULDN'T WE BUILD A WALL OR PLANT A HEDGE HIGH ENOUGH SO THEY CAN'T SEE OVER HERE?

JIMMY MURPHY

YOUR BOSS GOT WHAT HE WANTS WITH-YA BUT HE CAN'T DO NO GOOD FOR THE HEAL—

By Jimmy Murphy

BRINGING UP FATHER

MOTHER'S BROTHER'S FIANCÉE REFUSES TO GO TO THE MOVIES WITH US TO GO AND GET A FAMILY DOCTOR—DR. ARMAND HIPPS IS HIS NAME.

THAT GIVES A WACK A NEWBORN LAMB TO YOU TO GO AND GET A FAMILY DOCTOR—DR. ARMAND HIPPS IS HIS NAME.

WELL, HERE'S HOME—I HOPE HE'S IN!

WO, I'M NOT THE DOCTOR, I'M HIS BROTHER—HE'S IN HIS OFFICE!

YOU DON'T LOOK AS IF YOU ARE GONNA BE HIGH ENOUGH TO SEE OVER HERE!

YOU—THE DOCTOR?

SPEAK LOUDER! I CAN HEAR YOU WELL!

By George McMane

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1. Grate.
5. Folio animal.
9. Poor.
12. Peruvian chieftain.
13. Biblical king.
14. Plural of a snail.
15. Piece of money.
16. Side-long glance.
17. Health resort.
18. Owens.
19. Not there.
20. Young woman.
21. Small table.
22. Portends.
23. Scents.
24. Ashes of seaweed.
27. Queen of the gods.
28. Excuse.

DOWN

30. Small fish.
31. Pronoun.
32. Kind of candy.
33. Foreve.
34. Conjunction.
35. City in California.
36. Rubber bar ring.
37. Poeming.
38. Irrigate.
39. Sharp and harsh.
40. Nonmetrical language.
41. Indians.
42. American language.
43. History.
44. Accomplished.
45. Continent.
46. Adjective suffix.
47. Three: prefix.
48. Is: under obligation.
49. Other.

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